

Jeffersonville Postoffice Safe Cracked This Morning

Unknown Yeggsmen Make Unsuccessful Attempt to Relieve Safe of \$125 in Money and \$100 in Stamps--Hoboes Confined in Village Lockup Frighten Cracksmen Away--Big Safe Wrecked by Heavy Explosion--Citizens Awakened.

Unknown yeggsmen wrecked the big safe in the Jeffersonville postoffice about two o'clock Wednesday morning in an unsuccessful attempt to carry off the contents of the strong box, but less than \$5 reward-ed them for their efforts.

While the outer door was blown to atoms, the inner doors remained intact, retaining some \$3,000 in Postal Savings certificates, \$125 in cash and \$100 or more in stamps of various denominations. That the men did not force the inner vault is in all probability due to the yelling of a hobo who was confined in the village lock-up immediately adjoining the postoffice. He thought the building was being dynamited.

The force of the explosion was so great that a great section of the door was blown through the ceiling, and a large hole in the floor where the powerful force hurled the steel and clay. The explosion awakened a number of citizens, but none ventured forth, although some suspected that the postoffice safe had been blown again.

The postoffice was a scene of confusion, papers, steel and concrete being scattered all over the interior. Nothing else except the safe had been tampered with. Stamps and other supplies on the rural carriers' desks had not been touched.

Entrance was gained by forcing one of the side windows with tools taken from the section house which had been broken open. The attempted robbery was not discovered until Postmaster Warren W. Williams

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Bloomington

Mrs. E. B. Taylor was in Washington Saturday.

John Rowe, of Austin, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Milton Plummer has assumed the management of the Bloomington Meat market.

Miss Louise Bowyer, of Washington, spent Sunday the guest of Miss Bernice Holdren.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allemang, attended the Poultry show in Columbus last week.

Mrs. Cary Howland, of Washington, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Haines.

Miss Effie Noble, of Columbus, spent Sunday as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Noble.

J. M. Kiever is in Dayton this week attending the meeting of the National Poland-China Record Co.

Mr. Allen Whiteside of Marysville, spent Saturday and Sunday as the guest of his father, Mr. James Whiteside.

The Frankfort Basket ball team will be the attraction upon the Bloomington floor, Friday night, February 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDowell were on Columbus Thursday night to see Emma Trentini in "Naughty Marietta" at the Hartman.

Mrs. Chadwick returned to her home in Dayton Saturday after spending two weeks as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ray Erwin.

Mrs. Elizabeth Davis and son, Francis, of Millpoint, W. Va., are spending the week as the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Campbell.

BLOOMINGBURG WINS

The Bloomington Basketball team defeated Wilmington in a fast and well played game, Friday night, upon the home floor by the score of 29 to 19. The game was fast and considering the size of the Bloomington floor, was extremely clean, only a few fouls being called in the 40 minutes play. The winners not having played a game for a month, were not up to their best form, but their superior team work made the playing easy for them. Several times the visiting guards worked the ball down to their forwards, only for the home guards to break up the play. The good work of F. Foster, at center, made the home team loom up a great deal stronger and his consistent playing put new life in the others.

Allemang and Jefferson, the Bloomington forwards, worked well together and kept the Wilmington guards worried all the time. R. Foster and Allen, the home guards, broke up the playing of the Wilmington forwards, as to make it impossible for them to cage the ball, only to occasionally slip one in themselves.

Allemang played a brilliant game at forward, being guarded by the star of the visitors, Frazer. He caged six field goals. Frazer, of the losers played a great game at guard, while Metzger was the leading point getter, scoring eight points in the first half.

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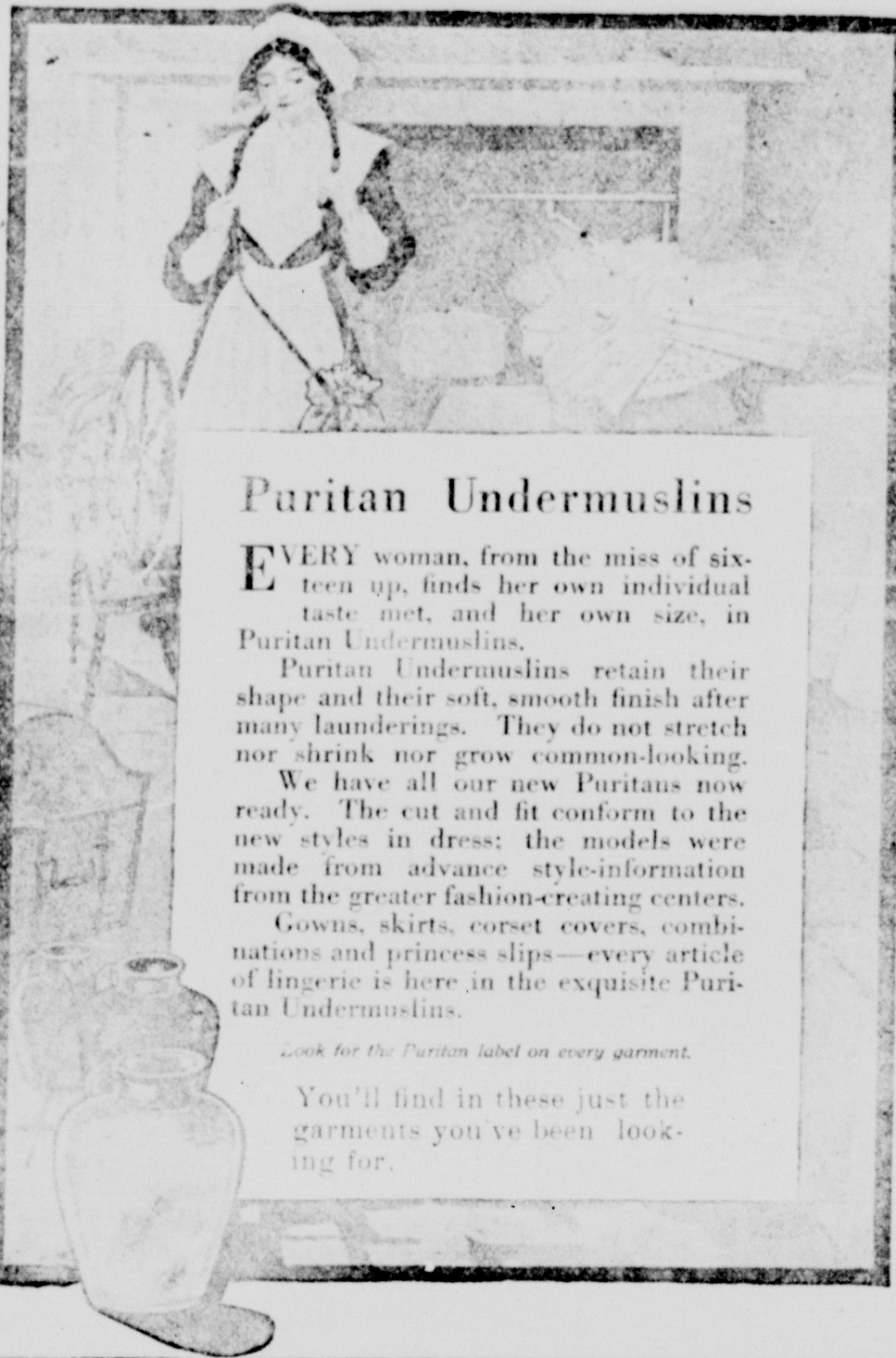
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Look for the Puritan label on every garment.

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Don't miss getting your share of Embroidery bargains.

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Portsmouth Conflagration Similar to Washington Fire

Blaze Originated in Basement of Masonic Temple, and the Damage Will Exceed \$200,000.

A fire similar in many respects to that great conflagration in this city on Dec. 30th, swept the heart of Portsmouth at a late hour Tuesday night, and the damage will exceed \$200,000.

The blaze originated in the basement of the Masonic Temple, in the Bradgon Dry Goods Company's store and the entire building of six stories was destroyed, and at an early hour Wednesday morning the flames were still raging, although under control.

On the first floor besides the Bradgon dry goods store is the Hall Brothers clothing store. The stock of each concern was ruined by fire, smoke and water. Above the two stores were many office rooms occupied by lawyers, doctors and insurance agents. The Masonic rooms were on the top floor.

For a time it was feared that the flames would spread and take in adjoining structures.

The Masonic Temple, which stands in the heart of the uptown district, is one of the finest buildings in the city. It was erected at a cost of \$80,000 by the Masonic Temple company.

The cause of the fire has not been determined. The firemen had a hard fight with the flames, but after several hours' work got them under control.

CARPENTERS AT WORK.

This morning Contractor Bohn of the Y. M. C. A., put about a dozen men at work putting down floors and getting in the finish. The furnace was connected up last week and radiators put in, and with the heat in the building the work promises to move rapidly to completion.

Another Victim Of White Plague

Funeral services were held Tuesday over the remains of James Thacker, of Cambridge, Ohio. Mr. Thacker adds another name to the list of victims claimed by the dreadful "white plague", and like the majority of people who are afflicted with this disease, was full of hope as to his ultimate recovery, during the most of his illness. He spent the early fall months with his wife and daughter, at the home of the latter's

mother, Mrs. M. P. Noble, of Madison Mills, returning to the home of his brother at Cambridge, where he died January 20th. He leaves a wife, daughter, brother and a host of friends to mourn his untimely demise.

Charles Durham, Lovington, Ill., has succeeded in finding a positive cure for bed wetting. "My little boy wet the bed every night clear through on the floor. I tried several kinds of kidney medicine and I was in the drug store looking for something different to help him when I heard of Foley Kidney Pills. After he had taken them two days we could see a change and when he had taken two thirds of a bottle he was cured. That is about six weeks ago and he has not wet in bed since." Blackmer & Tanquary.

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PEOPLE
You Know

Mr. David M. Glascock returned from Cleveland Wednesday night.

Mr. Harley Kilgore is among visitors at the Good Hope Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. William Strope, of Wichita, Kan., are the guests of Mrs. J. Swope.

Miss Frances Campbell spent the first of the week at her home in Bainbridge.

Miss Nina Bonham is the guest of Miss Pauline Jones at Good Hope for the week.

Mr. John Baker and Mr. E. H. Sams, of Jeffersonville, are business visitors here today.

Mr. Vance Knuckle, a well known horseman, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mr. Charles Allen.

Mrs. Sidney Knight arrived from Columbus Wednesday to be the guest of Mrs. Josephine Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bonham are attending the Teachers' Institute in Good Hope today.

Mrs. Charles Stafford is in Sabina to attend the funeral of Mrs. Charles Payer, Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Auctioneer R. T. Scott spent Tuesday in Chillicothe assisting Sweptson and Son in the Chillicothe horse sale.

Mr. Charles Hays was taken quite ill at his home on W. Temple street Tuesday night. He is slightly better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris went to Mr. Sterling Wednesday to attend the funeral of the daughter of Mr. Grant Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fenner have returned to their home in Hillsboro after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller, Oak street.

Mrs. Ralph Penn and little daughter, Kathleen Florence, have returned from a week's visit with Mrs. Penn's mother, Mrs. James Priddy, at Greenfield.

Mrs. Ben Leland, Jr., and little son, Jack Tyler, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Leland, left Wednesday morning for Electra, Texas where they join Mr. Leland and expect to make their future home. Mr. Leland is manager of the Western Union office of that city.

THE FIRST

Absolutely fire proof business and office building in Ohio is the new Rankin Building, at 22 West Gay street, Columbus, Ohio, the home of The Buckeye State Building and Loan Company. No wood was used in its construction. Not a carpenter employed. All desks, tables and chairs are iron. The doors and windows are metal. Shades are asbestos. Safe deposit boxes for rent. Assets \$1,200,000. Five per cent paid on time deposits. Write for booklets.

Thanhouser and American
The Palace
H. R. WYSONG, Baritone

The Winning of LaMesa
American Western drama. Brisling with whole-hearted western adventure. Scintillating with the quick wit of the early West. This picture well illustrates the effect of environment vs. instinct. Pauline Bush and Warren Kerrigan in the leads.

A Columbus Day Conspiracy
Features a stunning girl reporter who sets out on an interview and finds—a conspiracy. There is a wealth of good things in this melodrama, and it is all action. One of the interesting features is the Columbus Day parade, recently held in New York, with Mayor Gaynor in the reviewing stand. It's a Thanhouser, and that means THE BEST in pictures.

Here is Another Fine Program Presented
In the Inimitable Palace Way

Mr. H. C. Teachnor left Tuesday night on a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Ione Bryant arrived from Middletown, Ill., Tuesday, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank Mayer.

Mr. G. W. Giebelhouse is in Columbus on business Wednesday and is attending the K. of P. meeting.

H. H. Holdren has vacated his studio, corner Court and Fayette, but expects to open up business again as soon as suitable rooms can be obtained.

Mrs. S. D. Morgan and daughter, Mrs. Mark Mechin, are spending a couple of days visiting friends in Good Hope and attending the Farmers' Institute.

Mayor Harvey Smith went to Columbus Wednesday morning to attend the Municipal convention of mayors in session there Wednesday and Thursday.

Rev. T. W. Locke goes to Newark this evening, called by the sudden death of Mr. Hugh Flemming, a prominent citizen and old resident of Licking county.

Walter McCoy came down from the O. S. U. Tuesday night and went to Good Hope Wednesday to judge the corn at the corn show and institute held there Wednesday and Thursday.

Messrs. Jess Blackmer, George Gregg, O. T. Grafton and Henry Smith went to Columbus Wednesday to attend the annual festival of the K. P.'s of Ohio. The Supreme lodge officers and the grand lodge officers are in attendance at the festival.

IN MEMORY.

Of Comrade W. D. Cole, we, the members of R. B. Hayes Post No. 92, Grand Army of the Republic, offer this tribute of respect and love.

Comrade Cole, like thousands of brave and patriotic young Americans, when his country's safety was threatened, enlisted for three years or during the war, served faithfully and well as a good soldier. When his term of service ended, he returned home and joined the ranks of his country's best citizens and continued to hold that position until the Great Commander summoned him to the citizenship above, where the ranks are never broken and where armies never suffer defeat.

His comrades silently and reverently bow in humble submission to heaven's will and ask that the widow, son, daughter and other relatives may have the greatest measure of God's blessing rest upon them during this season of their deepest sorrow.

Resolved, That this memoir be spread upon the post record; a copy be sent to Mrs. Cole, also that it be published in the city and county papers.

JOHN NEAR,
R. H. HARROP,
GEORGE F. ROBINSON,
Committee.

INCREASING INTEREST.

The meetings at the Presbyterian church are continuing with increasing interest.

Tuesday night Mr. Ray Zaner was in charge of the choir, which added much to the beauty and inspiration of the service by appropriate hymns and evangelical songs.

There has been a good attendance every night.

Mrs. Austin's Bag Buckwheat, delicious light cakes for breakfast, all grocers.

PURITY POTATO CHIPS
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LODGE NEWS

U. R. K. P.
Annual inspection Maynard Company No. 102, U. R. K. P., January 25. All members ordered present.
O. E. HARDWAY, Capt.
F. O. CLINE, Recorder.

PROTRACTED MEETINGS.
Interesting protracted meetings are in progress at the Sugar Grove church. Rev. George Creamer, of that circuit is in charge and preaching excellent sermons every night.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.
The regular meeting of the W. R. C. will be held Thursday, Jan. 25 at 2 p. m. All members cordially invited and urged to be present.
EMMA CRAIG, Pres.
EMILY BALDWIN, Secy.

FAYETTE LODGE NO. 107, F. & A. M.
Stated communication Wednesday evening, January 24, at 7 o'clock p. m., Masonic hall, I. O. O. F. building. Brethren of all regular constituted lodges invited.
GEO. B. SWOPE, W. M.
J. N. McFADDEN, Secy.

ATTENTION.
Regular meeting of John M. Bell Post No. 119, G. A. R., Thursday evening, January 25th, 1912, at 7 o'clock p. m. All comrades are requested to be present. By order of D. R. JACOBS, P. C.
J. M. NEWLAND, Adjt.

W. C. T. U.
The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Sharp Davies Friday, Jan. 26, at 1:30 p. m. The county president will meet with us. All members of the Union are urged to attend. By order of
PRESIDENT.

SUGAR GROVE W. C. T. U.
The last meeting of the Sugar Grove W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. O. E. Hardway on the Creek road.
Mrs. Hallie Davis presided.
Being the red letter day it was observed as Madame Willard's birthday and a very interesting program carried out.
Sixteen members were present and three visitors.
The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Tasso Post, Wednesday, January 31.
All members are invited to attend. dly wkly

W. C. T. U.
The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Sharp-Davies, Friday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m.

L. O. T. M.
Fayette Hive No. 317, Ladies of The Maccabees of the World, will meet in regular review in the Eagles' Hall, Wednesday, January 24th, at 7 o'clock. Installation of officers postponed until next week.
Every member urged to be present. Each member has the privilege of inviting two lady guests.
MARY L. ENGLISH, L. C.
LILLIAN BAUGHN, R. K.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES
AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Special Evangelistic Services have been in progress in the Presbyterian church during the last two weeks. They will be continued during the next week. It is urgently desired that all the families connected with this church should attend these meetings. May we not rely upon you, your family and friends to aid these meetings by your presence?
THE PASTOR, SESSION AND BOARD OF DEACONS.

GOOD STATIONERY.
At Rodecker's News Stand will be found Eaton Crane's fine paper and envelopes in tablet form, boxes and by the pound.

HUGH C. WEIR CONTRIBUTOR
TO NEW MAGAZINE.
Mr. Hugh Weir, son-in-law of Dr. E. C. Hamilton of this city, and at present visiting with his wife at the Hamilton home, is among the able contributors to Munsey's new weekly magazine, "The Cavalier".
Mr. Weir has a story in the magazine of January 13th, "The Bullet From Nowhere," a story vibrant with interest and introducing Mr. Weir's peculiar ability in the line of detective intrigue.
The Cavalier is also to publish two novelettes of Mr. Weir's in the near future.
Mrs. Weir is acting as her husband's amanuensis, taking all his stories by dictation.

Suicide Uses Shotgun
Top of Head Blown Away

Albert J. Wilson, 25, Highly Respected Young Man, Living on George Moore Farm, One Mile North of Bloomingburg, Ends Life in Most Horrible Manner This Morning--Kissed Young Wife Good-bye and Blew His Head Off With Shotgun.

NO CAUSE ASSIGNED FOR ACT

With the entire top of his head blown away, and still claspng the deadly shot gun with which he did the horrible deed, Albert J. Wilson, aged 25 years, was found by his bride of one month this morning, lying in a pool of blood upon the kitchen floor, where he had fallen after pulling the trigger which sent the fatal load upon its way of destruction.

The shocking suicide occurred shortly after five o'clock upon the George Moore farm at Hains' Crossing, one mile north of Bloomingburg upon the Bloomingburg and White Oak pike, and the young man's rash act was not only dumbfounding, but so far as known was entirely without cause, and was probably committed during a moment of temporary insanity.

The first knowledge of the suicide came to the young wife like a thunderbolt about seven o'clock, when she went down stairs into the kitchen and there beheld her husband, stretched out upon the floor, while blood, pieces of skull and brain were scattered about the room.

Turning from the sickening sight and hardly knowing what she did, Mrs. Wilson ran screaming to the home of Albert Haines, who lives some 250 yards distant, and told of the tragedy. Mr. Hains ran to the Wilson home and found the corpse.

Mr. Wilson, who is a son of Fletcher J. Wilson, of Staunton, and who has always borne an unblemished reputation, was married to Miss Hallie Hiser, daughter of Mr. John Hiser of Milledgeville, on December 24, 1911, and had recently moved to the George Moore farm. The young couple had been very happy together, and no thought of trouble appeared upon their apparently cloudless horizon.

Shortly before five o'clock Wednesday morning, Mr. Wilson arose and requested his wife to remain in bed until he built the fires, when he would call her. During the night he had been exceedingly restless, and had expressed his anxiety about certain stock which he had been caring for, and some of which had gotten out.

Just before leaving the bed room he stooped and kissed his wife, and at the same time it is supposed that he pulled the shot gun from beneath the bed where it was kept. He passed from the room, closed the door, and also all of the doors between the bed room and kitchen.

A short time afterward Mrs. Wilson was awakened by a loud noise, which she supposed was the slamming of a door. She soon fell asleep once more.

The next time she awoke it was about seven o'clock, and hurriedly dressing she went below and made the discovery that what she had mistaken for a door being violently closed, had been a gun shot which ended the life of her husband.

Wilson had stood before a mirror in the kitchen, and placing the muzzle of a double-barreled shot gun in the socket of his right eye, had discharged the right barrel, the load tearing away the entire crown of his head, spattering blood and brains and sections of the skull over the ceiling and floor.

Some of the shot penetrated a window, breaking out two panes of glass and tearing the window shade, which was partly drawn at the time.

When Coroner Howell of this city reached the spot, Wilson's body lay as it had fallen, between the kitchen sink and stove, and the shot gun was claspng against the body. It was a most repulsive sight, and neighbors who had gathered in were almost overcome by the gruesomeness of the scene. The coroner's verdict will be death by suicide.

A razor was found in one of the man's coat pockets. When found the remains were garbed in the young man's usual work clothes, and a pair of house slippers were upon his feet. Mr. George Moore, upon whose farm Wilson siled, visited the farm Tuesday and found Wilson was not in the best of spirits, but he did not complain.

Funeral Director Albert McCoy took charge of the remains, and funeral services will be announced later.

Mrs. Wilson is completely prostrated over the tragedy, and members of both the Wilson and Hiser families are heart-broken. The shock came like a thunder-bolt from a clear sky and no reason whatsoever can be found for the young man's rashness.

The deceased was at one time a member of Company M, O. N. G., of this city, and has a host of warm friends here.

J. H. BALMER, Organizer of KAFFIR BOY CHOIR, a noted Englishman, to appear with the Boys.

When Balmer's Kaffir Boys appear at Grace church on January 26 the greatest interest will center in the boys and their wonderful singing, but it is not unusual for audiences to become just as thoroughly interested in Mr. J. H. Balmer, the originator, organizer, trainer and manager of this unique and remarkable concert attraction. When Mr. Balmer dies there will be no more Kaffir Boys' Choir for it is almost a certainty that no other man could accomplish what he has done. To train five boys to present a fine, high-class musical program and keep them up to a certain standard at all times while traveling and singing in a different town each night is a huge task, but to do this with wild savages who do not know a word of English, to say nothing about having an idea of music, except their own native songs, is a task that seems impossible of accomplishment. It required a man of Mr. Balmer's attainments, a fine musician himself and a trainer of boys' choirs, a wide traveler, a knowledge of the people of South Africa and of their language, a patience infinite, and a desire to help the church people of South Africa—this combination could be found only in Mr. Balmer. He is a remarkable man.

The reception given the wonderful singing Kaffir boys on their tour around the world is ample proof that their entertainment is the most unique, charming, informing and pleasing before the American public today.

IN GREAT BRITAIN.—Laurels were won from the highest and most critical in the land. Mr. Balmer had the honor of appearing before Her Most Gracious Majesty the late Queen Victoria; the present Princess of Wales; their Royal Highnesses, the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh; His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught; Their Imperial Highnesses, the late Duke and Duchess of Teck; the late Right Hon. W. E. and Mrs. Gladstone, at great social functions in London and the country.

The London Daily News says:

"Mr. J. H. Balmer, F. R. G. S., who is now touring England with his African boys, has had a remarkable career. He is the son of a venerable minister at Blackpool. Twenty-nine years ago, as a young man, he was threatened with consumption, and sailed to Africa to save his life. The climate restored him to perfect health, and by entering the Dark Continent Mr. Balmer's interest in the natives was aroused. He has great musical gifts, and assisted by Miss Elsie Clark, who is a born Colonial, has trained groups of African boys.

Of the program to be given by the Kaffir Boys we have had much to say and will have more. Mr. Balmer is a splendid speaker and gives entertaining and informing talks on the country, its people, their manners and customs.

Grace M.E. Church, Jan. 26, 8 P.M

AUSPICES OF EPWORTH LEAGUE

Admission--Adults 25c Children 15c

Tickets on sale at W. H. Dial's office, or can be purchased of any High School member of the Epworth League.

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PRICE 5c, 10c and 15c each

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TODAY

We have Dickinson's Rice Pop Corn in 1 lb. packages, price 10c and each package will make 10 quarts of popped corn. Its a good one and will furnish you lots of amusement as well as a lot of good eating.

Our first Red Ruby Prunes arrived today, 20c lb.

Fresh Kale and Spinach tomorrow morning.

Herring Roe in 2 lb cans, price 20c. This is a new one in this market and we believe will make a big seller. Try a can.



RECOMMENDED BY OPPONENTS.

In these days of public officials, any candidate for official position, whether the position be either appointive or elective and whether the applicants be active or only receptive, matters but little, the two great parties into which the voters of the country have now divided themselves—Progressives and Conservatives—immediately get busy and place, either right or wrong, that candidate. With comparatively no exception that man who seeks after or is suggested for a place, must be catalogued with one or the other of the great political parties as they now exist.

Judge William Cather Hook is suggested for appointment on the United States Supreme court bench.

He is opposed by the Conservatives because they say he is too radical and by the radicals because they claim he is too conservative.

Protests against his appointment have poured in to the White House from railroads and from other corporations, and also from public service commissions, whose duty it is to regulate great corporations.

Judge Hook's decision in the Standard Oil and Harriman merger cases caused him to lose favor with the corporation "interests".

The Progressives base their contention that he is too closely allied with big business because of his decision enjoining the Oklahoma authorities from enforcing the two-cent-rate law, on the ground that it was confiscatory.

The peculiar or mixed, if you please, character of the opposition to Judge Hook's appointment has been the occasion for a great deal of comment by the press.

The New York Press very aptly suggests that, since he has incurred the displeasure of the "interests" by some of his decisions and of the progressives by others, it is possible that he has not been trying to please anybody of political sentiment by his rulings, but merely "to dispense justice, no matter whom it hits or helps."

The quarters from which the opposition springs and the nature of that opposition would seem to indicate that the New York Press has the situation sized up just about right.

The day must soon come in this country when men will be refused the support of the progressives if they dare to give justice to the radicals, and by the radicals when they dare give justice to the progressives.

Sane men must realize, no matter with which class they have allied themselves that they cannot always and eternally be right, and the other crowd wrong, and they must realize too that the property rights and contractual relations of those men who are on the other side, must be held sacred and receive fair treatment at the hands of the government, especially at the hands of the court.

The extremes on both sides who believe that their opponents have no rights which should be held sacred, must be eliminated, if real progress is to come.

From the objections urged to Judge Hook's appointment it seems that he is just the type of man for the bench, a man who knows neither party, class nor creed, in his judicial decrees, a man who administers justice to all alike, honestly, impartially and to the best of his ability, regardless of the political or financial effect of his decision.

From his enemies come splendid recommendations of worth and fitness.

Poetry - Today

THE DUSTMAN.

Over some he sprinkles gold.
Over some he sprinkles gray;
On his courser swift and bold
He is riding day by day.
Over some he sprinkles joy,
Over some he sprinkles care;
What is that you say, my boy,
He's already touched my hair?

Over some he sprinkles dust
Of the dreams of happy life;
Over some he sprinkles trust
In the bloom beyond the strife.
Unannounced and unproclaimed
From mysterious places far
He had come all unashamed,
And he makes us what we are.

Never think of him at all,
Never worry, never mind;
If his dust in silence fall,
Then he wishes to be kind.
And, indeed, 'tis best for me
And for you to never know
How he brings the dust of glee,
How he brings the dust of woe.

Over some he sprinkles spring,
Over some he sprinkles fall;
In the end he'll surely bring
Dust of gray to crown us all.
Dust of dreams are in his pall,
Dust of hopes for weary head;
Dust of love for those who fall,
Dust of victory for the dead.

—Baltimore Sun.

Weather Report

Washington, Jan. 24.—Ohio and Western Pennsylvania—Fair and colder Wednesday; Thursday fair; light to moderate northwest winds.

West Virginia—Fair and colder Wednesday; Thursday fair.

Lower Michigan—Fair and somewhat colder Wednesday; Thursday fair; light to moderate northwest winds, becoming variable.

Indiana, Tennessee and Kentucky—Fair and somewhat colder Wednesday; Thursday fair.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 8 p. m. Tuesday:

	Temp.	Weather
Columbus	35	Cloudy
New York	42	Clear
Atlantic City	44	Clear
Albany	28	Snow
Boston	40	Cloudy
Buffalo	24	Cloudy
Chicago	29	Clear
St. Louis	48	Clear
New Orleans	62	Clear
Washington	48	Clear
Philadelphia	46	Clear

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Indications for tomorrow:
Ohio—Fair; light to moderate northwesterly winds.

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ARE BRINGIN'
FIFTY CENTS
A DOZEN



SURE
GO BACK
TO WORK

Caucus Favors Fresh Change

(Continued from Page One.)

arate submission of the initiative and referendum and other planks. The I. and R. supporters proposed to incorporate the proposals for direct legislation in the main body of the constitution also to make doubly sure of its adoption by the electors.

Ways and means were arranged whereby every citizen of Ohio may have an opportunity to appear before one of the convention committees to give his views on the questions that are to be decided. This was done by assigning to each of the 19 committees one regular weekly meeting at which it may consider any proposition made.

There are 118 proposals before the convention and a new flood is coming today. Walter F. Brown of Lucas will present one making the supreme court an advisor of the legislative department to tell it what acts will be constitutional and what will not, and to help draft laws so they may withstand the acid test.

The convention set itself to an economy program after Harris of Ashtabula had pointed out that the \$200,000 appropriated by the general assembly will soon be gone if alleged extravagance continued. Mr. Doty of Cuyahoga had proposed a new stenographer to serve four committees, and Mr. Harris strenuously objected, pointing out that Mr. Doty was proposing to let the bars down and allow each committee to name a separate clerk. He contended that the secretary, with occasional stenographic assistance, could do the work. The convention named a committee to investigate.

It was with the same economy idea that the convention, 42 to 47, turned down a proposition to suspend the rules on a resolution to engage Rev. Washington Gladden as chaplain.

Hoskins Quits Committee.

One of the surprises was the retirement of Mr. Hoskins of Anguila from the liquor traffic committee. Six years ago he ran for secretary of state as a dry. Last fall he had the support of the wets, and in the convention was classed as a neutral. President Bigelow substituted himself on the committee, while the convention wondered why Mr. Hoskins had stepped aside.

Among most important proposals presented were three by Dr. Fess of Greene, remodeling the educational system of the state. He would make the commissioner of education appointive by the governor and have a state board of education of five members to manage the normal schools and to have general supervision of common schools. He would give the legislature authority to pension teachers.

Judge Rockel of Clark proposes to abolish the unanimous jury decision in all save homicides. Lampson of Ashtabula proposes issuance of good roads bonds up to 1 per cent of the grand tax duplicate and not to exceed \$10,000,000 in any one year.

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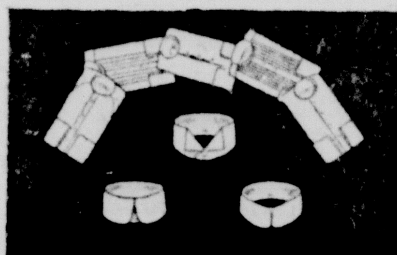
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Pouch Cove, Newfoundland



Pouch Cove is a typical fishing village near the city of St. John's, Newfoundland. Practically all of the 230,000 inhabitants of the island are to be found in just such villages, of which there are 2,300 around the coast. When the codfish are brought in they are dried on such racks as those shown in the photograph. This work of "making the fish," as it is termed by the fish folk, is performed largely by women, who carry the fish from the boats, spread them over the racks and keep turning them until they are thoroughly cured. The sheds are but storehouses for the fish when they are ready for market.

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Worldly Success

Much Depends
on Ideas of
Life's Purpose

By G. BRABBIT



WHETHER a man's life in this world is successful or not depends on the idea which is held of the purpose for which life is given. If we believe that death ends all, the conclusion may be not unreasonably reached that the successful life is one into which are crowded the greatest number of material blessings and the least amount of earthly discomfort. But if, on the other hand, we are convinced that our brief stay in this mundane sphere of existence was designed to be a preparation for an endless hereafter, then that is the successful life in which such preparation is most adequately made. The question is therefore, primarily, the great and abiding one of man's immortality.

But, apart from this point, we may well ask ourselves what kind of life is the happiest for men, for that life is surely the most successful which is the most truly happy. And we have no right to assume that the conditions of happiness are different in this world and in the other. Rather ought we to say that they must be the same for human beings everywhere.

Happiness may be defined as the state of mind which is realized by living according to divine order. That order consists in obedience to God's commandments, chief among which are those which prescribe love to the Lord and love to the neighbor. These are, indeed, the briefest summary of man's duty. They cannot be put in practice except by acts of usefulness and kindness. Hence it follows that true happiness is experienced only in unselfish service for others.

Of this character should be the daily work or calling of every man. According as such is the case with anyone, his life is successful, not only as regards his own welfare and his influence upon his fellow men here on earth, but also as being the appointed gateway into life everlasting.



Will Open Hardware Store In the Persinger Building

Willard E. Martin, member of the firm of The Fayette County Hardware Company, will soon open a store in the Persinger building, in the large rooms between the Arcade Livery barn and the new residence of Dr. Gribble.

The rooms will be remodeled at once, and converted into a first class set of business rooms. The smaller room will be used for an outer office, while the other mammoth room will be utilized for storing the large stock.

Mr. Martin, who has been associated with the implement and hardware business for a great many years, and is known as an efficient hardware man, will handle a large line

of buggies, wagons, farming implements and machinery, harness, gasoline engines.

He expects to open for business between the first and tenth of next month, and a little later when the rooms are entirely remodeled and he has been fully established, he will install a full line of hardware and supplies.

Mr. Martin will have full charge of the business, and the firm name will be Willard E. Martin.

Fayette street will soon assume a much more business-like appearance than at present, as the Stutson Department store and Martin Hardware store will go a great way in making it one of the real busy streets.

CLUB NEWS

The Clonians enjoyed their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Josephine Kerr Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank M. Fullerton read a synopsis of the new play, "Bunt Pulls the String," that is creating such a furor in New York.

Thursday Mrs. Fullerton entertains the Clonians at their twenty-fifth anniversary dinner.

There was a large attendance at last night's Browning club meeting, in charge of the Social Science and Philanthropy department, Mrs. Ada Jones, chairman.

In connection with the study of Wales three exceedingly well written and interesting papers were presented.

Miss Minnie Light treated of "Swansea and the Tin Industry," Miss Ella Hess of "The Mines," and Mrs. Blessing of the "Welsh church."

Edwards Hopkins and Miss Jean Fitzgerald favored the club women with pretty piano solos.

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Sues for \$175.70 Double Troubles

Charles Anderson has filed suit in the Pickaway county courts against John Douglas and Jane Douglas, of New Holland, for \$175.70, and secured judgment by confession for the amount with interest from Jan. 19, 1912. Chas. H. May represents the plaintiff.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas are the parents of Albert Douglas, the young man recently fined \$200 and costs for bad conduct, and subsequently sent to the workhouse at Zanesville.

Working Up Boom

A dispatch from Springfield under date of January 23rd, says:

"Dr. R. M. Hughey, of Washington C. H., who will again seek the Republican nomination for Congress in this district, was here effecting an organization. R. W. Dunlap, former State Food and Dairy Commissioner, and General J. Warren Keifer are also candidates."

Cage Is Ready For Prisoners

The big two-ton steel cage, one of two formerly used in the old city lock-up, has been installed in a rear room of the McLeilan building in which the Mayor's office is located, and within a day or two it will be ready for the reception of prisoners.

The floor underneath the cage has been cemented in order to prevent escape or burning holes in the floor by carelessly dropped matches. Prisoners for all ordinary offenses will be temporarily confined in the steel cage.

THE EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN.

There was a large attendance at the Church of Christ again last night. Three more people confessed Christ. Many are deeply interested. Subject of sermon tonight, "Personal Responsibility." Solo, "I Am on the Shining Pathway."

A friendly greeting for all who come.

BIG SHIPMENTS EAST.

Os Briggs, well known stock buyer and shipper, has shipped to eastern markets during the past two weeks, 22 carloads of cattle, averaging about 1350 lbs. They were a choice lot and commanded a good price.

Says Trusts on Outs.

Washington, Jan. 24.—James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel corporation, surprised the Stanley steel trust investigating committee with the statement that the steel corporation and the International Harvester company have had no business dealings with each other for a period of five or six years.

Diegel Arguments Submitted.

Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—A crowd listened in supreme court to the arguments in the case of Rodney J. Diegel, former senate sergeant-at-arms, convicted of legislative boodling. Diegel is under three years' sentence to the penitentiary. A reversal is sought because Diegel's capture resulted from an entrapment.

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FOREIGN SECRETARY UPHELD

Sir Edward Grey's Anglo-German Negotiations Approved and His Resignation Not Tendered.

London.—Those well-informed in British state affairs say that it was the intention of Sir Edward Grey, Great Britain's foreign secretary, to resign his post unless supported in his Anglo-German negotiations. His statement on the subject, which was submitted to parliament recently was approved, and the crisis safely passed. Sir Edward has been secretary of state for foreign affairs since 1905.

Irish nationalists are playing a



Sir Edward Grey.

waiting game in parliament. Members of the usually turbulent little band which sits below the gangway of the house of commons have kept themselves in hand so far, although they are deeply interested in the insurance bill which is occupying all the time of the house.

William O'Brien and his handful of followers sometimes try to excite their fellow countrymen by engaging in sarcasm at their expense, but without success. The nationalist benches are quietly waiting for 1912, "Ireland's year," as they call it.

While the rankers of the nationalist party are doing missionary work in the lobby, the leader, John Redmond, is busy explaining home rule to the people of England. Mr. Redmond's campaign already has extended from Scotland in the north to the extreme south of England. The colonial secretary, Lewis Harcourt, accompanied him in the midlands, and at other places ministers and liberal leaders have sat with him on the platform.

Press reports of the meetings record very few interruptions of the Irish leader.

Mr. Redmond and other Irish members impress upon their audiences that what Ireland demands is not separation, but "the right of managing its own affairs in a subordinate place, subject to the supremacy of the imperial parliament, a demand that never has been made by any community of white men in the empire and refused except in the case of Ireland."

GIANT ROCK LIKE A SPIRE

Curecanti Needle in Black Canyon Rises to a Height of 1,600 Feet Above Surroundings.

Gunnison, Colo.—An enormous splinter of rock, the Curecanti needle, is an isolated mountain spire rising to the height of 600 feet above the Black canyon of the Gunnison in Colorado. The Gunnison canyon is



Curecanti Needle.

deemed equal in natural beauty to that of the Royal gorge.

The Gunnison river dashes through this wild canyon with such impetuosity that it is beaten to foam amidst the ragged boulders. The canyon walls are pleasingly colored and are constantly opening and closing to the view. Chipeta falls dashes down a lofty wall and the tremendous splinter of the Curecanti needle pierces to the clouds. It is a region of wild and rugged beauty.

Four-Year-Old Firebug.

Chicago.—Arrested, charged with starting a fire in an alley, a four-year-old "miscreant" told the sergeant the 300-pound policeman who made the pinch was "a big story-teller" and was released.

RED CROSS FOUNDER

Clara Barton Celebrates Ninetieth Birthday Anniversary.

Failing Health of Woman Who Conceived Idea of Aiding Wounded Soldiers During Civil War Prevents Celebration.

Washington.—Miss Clara Barton, famous the world over as a Red Cross worker, reached her ninetieth birthday anniversary Christmas day. Congratulatory messages from friends and admirers in many parts of the world were received at the home of the famous nurse at Glen Echo, Md., a few miles from this city.

Friends and neighbors of Miss Barton contemplated having a celebration of her anniversary, but all plans in this direction were abandoned because of the precarious condition of her health.

Miss Barton has been failing ever since her serious illness last winter. Of the friends who called at Glen Echo only the most intimate were permitted to see her.

Few women of America have had a more active or more interesting career than Clara Barton. She was born in Oxford, Mass., December 25, 1821, the daughter of Capt. Stephen Barton, who fought under Gen. Anthony Wayne. In her early career she was a school-teacher. She founded a free school at Bordentown, N. J., which, beginning with six pupils, quickly grew until it numbered nearly 600. This work she gave up to accept a place in the patent office at Washington, which she held until the outbreak of the Civil war.

After giving up her government position Miss Barton advertised in a newspaper in Worcester, Mass., that she would receive stores and money for wounded soldiers at the front, which she personally would distribute. Her appeal was liberally answered, and she began her great relief work.



Clara Barton.

She continued with the soldiers in Virginia during nearly the entire period of the war, being head nurse of the hospitals among the armies on the James.

Miss Barton went to Europe in 1869, and was abroad when the Franco-Prussian war broke out. She lost no time in going to Strassburg and beginning the work of nursing the wounded soldiers. She proceeded later to Paris and rendered assistance in relieving distress at the time of the commune.

The American Association of Red Cross was formed in 1881, and Miss Barton was chosen its first president, which position she continued to fill until the reorganization of the society several years ago, when, realizing that she was no longer young enough to direct the affairs of the society, she yielded the management to other hands.

During the more than twenty years that Miss Barton sustained the movement in America, she visited numerous scenes of disaster, such as Johnstown after the flood, Galveston after the tidal wave, sections where forest fires had denuded the country and impoverished its people, or where the abundant waters of the Mississippi had overflowed, carrying death and desolation to thousands.

It is to be earnestly hoped that Miss Barton will live to witness many more Christmas days. She is comforted and sustained in her declining days by the prayers and blessings of many who have benefited by her gentle ministrations, and by the knowledge of good work accomplished.

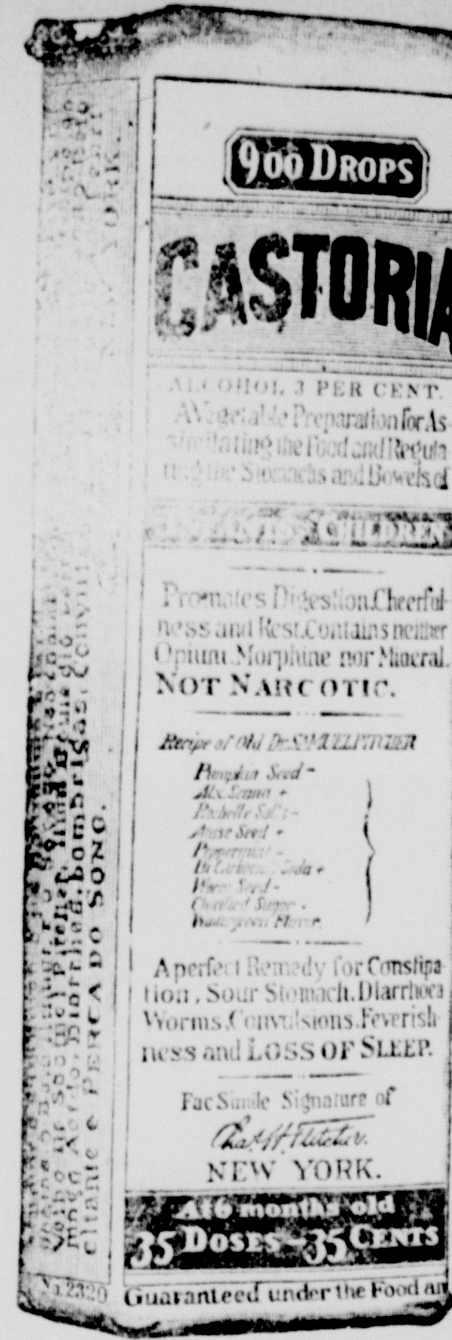
CAN'T TELL HIS SONS APART

Marvelous Texas Twins Who Exchange Sweethearts and the Latter Don't Know It.

Fort Worth, Texas.—John Cobb Harris, a wealthy Mansfield farmer, came to Fort Worth to make a new will, because he was unable to tell his twin sons apart. The will he destroyed gave John Harris certain property and Cobb, the other twin, other realty, but Harris had divided his property just opposite to his own desires.

Harris' sons are 22 years of age and among the most remarkable twins in the country. Both are six feet six inches tall and muscular. With their hats on their father cannot tell one from the other, but John is a little more bald than his brother.

The twins keep a common bank account and always speak of "our money," "our horse" and even "our girl," as they frequently play a joke on their sweethearts by exchanging them.



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Mr. King will be remembered by many Washington and Fayette county citizens.

Marshal Missing Grave Fears Held

The mysterious absence of Charles C. Cannon, who disappeared from his home at Peebles, in which village he was marshal, has caused a sensation in that part of the state.

Marshal Cannon left for Cincinnati nearly a month ago, and has not been heard from. His wife and six children are prostrated with grief, believing him dead. No cause for his absence can be found other than death, as he was not in financial trouble, and no family trouble was known.

Sues for Divorce

Chas. Walters has brought suit in Common Pleas court against Edna Walters, charging her with gross neglect and seeking the society of other men, and asks divorce from her. They were married in New Lexington on January 16, 1905.

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BALTIMORE & OHIO			
GOING WEST		GOING EAST	
No. Cincinnati	No. Columbus	No. Cincinnati	No. Columbus
105.....5:02 A.M.	102.....5:02 A.M.	61.....8:23 A.M.	104.....10:26 A.M.
61.....8:23 A.M.	103.....3:32 P.M.	108.....4:15 P.M.	106.....11:11 P.M.
103.....3:32 P.M.	107.....6:14 P.M.		
107.....6:14 P.M.			
CINCINNATI & MUSKINGUM VALLEY			
GOING WEST		GOING EAST	
No. Cincinnati	No. Zanesville	No. Cincinnati	No. Lancaster
21.....9:00 A.M.	6.....9:45 A.M.	19.....3:35 P.M.	20.....5:58 P.M.
19.....3:35 P.M.			
Cincinnati			
Sdy.....8:20 A.M.	Sdy.....9:15 P.M.		
CINCINNATI, HAMILTON & DAYTON			
GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH	
No. Dayton	No. Wellington	No. Cincinnati	No. Cincinnati
55.....7:53 A.M.	202.....9:38 A.M.	203.....3:57 P.M.	56.....6:12 P.M.
203.....3:57 P.M.			
Sdy.....9:23 A.M.	Sdy.....9:38 A.M.		
Sdy.....8:22 P.M.	Sdy.....6:12 P.M.		
DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON			
GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH	
No. Springfield	No. Greenfield	No. Cincinnati	No. Cincinnati
2.....7:53 A.M.9:50 A.M.		
6.....2:52 P.M.8:00 P.M.		

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C. W. Brown Dead Former Hotel Man

Charles W. Brown, at one time proprietor of the old Midland hotel in this city, passed away in Columbus Sunday, after a long illness.

For many years Mr. Brown and his wife have lived in Columbus, and his death occurred in the Dennison hotel, where they had apartments.

After leaving the hotel business, he traveled for the Ruggles-Gale Co. of Columbus. The remains were taken to Wilmington Wednesday morning over the B. & O. where services were held at the Presbyterian church and interment made at Sugar Grove cemetery. The deceased was 63 years of age.

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Special conclave Thursday evening, January 25th, 1912, Odd Fellows' Temple, 7 p. m., sharp. Work Temple and Majta. By order of WERTER H. MALLOW, E. C. W. E. ROBINSON, Recorder.

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CHICAGO—Cattle: Receipts, 10,000 head; beefs, \$4.80@5.40; Texas steers, \$1.40@5.85; western steers, \$4.80@7.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@6.00; cows and heifers, \$2.25@6.60; calves, \$6.00@9.00. Hogs—Receipts, 38,000 head; light, \$5.55@6.10; mixed, \$5.80@6.25; heavy, \$5.85@6.30; roughs, \$5.85@6.05; pigs, \$1.25@5.25. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 18,000 head; native sheep, \$3.25@4.70; western, \$3.00@4.75; yearlings, \$4.00@5.85; native lambs, \$4.50@6.80; western, \$5.00@6.85. Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.04; No. 3, 62@62 3/4c. Oats—No. 2, 49 1/2@50c.

PITTSBURG, PA.—Cattle: Supply 115 cars; choice cattle, \$7.65@8.00; prime, \$7.25@7.60; tidy butchers, \$6.10@6.60; heifers, \$6.35@6.50; fresh cows and springers, \$25.00@60.00; calves, \$6.00@9.50. Hogs—Receipts, 15 cars; prime heavies, \$6.30@6.35; heavy mixed and mediums, \$6.25@6.30; heavy Yorkers, \$6.20@6.25; light Yorkers, \$5.75@6.00; pigs, \$5.00@5.50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, fair; prime wethers, \$4.35@4.50; good mixed, \$4.00@4.30; fair mixed, \$3.50@3.85; lambs, \$4.00@4.65.

CINCINNATI—Cattle: Receipts, 163 head; steers, \$4.25@7.25; heifers, \$3.00@5.75; cows, \$1.50@4.85; calves, \$4.00@9.00. Hogs—Receipts, 3,123 head; packers, \$6.20@6.25; stags, \$3.00@5.00; common sows, \$4.25@5.55; pigs and lights, \$4.00@5.75. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 240 head; sheep, \$1.50@3.75; lambs, \$4.25@6.75. Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.00@1.02; No. 2 mixed, 65@67c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 51@51 1/2c. Rye—No. 2, 98c@1.00.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Receipts, 100 head; choice fat steers, \$7.00@7.25; good to choice, \$6.25@6.75; heifers, \$4.50@6.25; fat bulls, \$5.00@5.50; cows, \$4.50@5.00; minkers and springers, \$20.00@55.00; calves, \$9.50@10.00. Hogs—Receipts, 3,049 head; heavies, \$6.20; mediums, \$6.25; Yorkers, \$6.25; pigs, \$5.60; roughs, \$5.40; stags, \$4.50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 800 head; spring lambs, \$6.25@6.50.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 98 1/2c; corn, 65 1/4c; oats, 51 1/2c; cloverseed, \$13.75.

KING PLAIN CITIZEN

Spanish Monarch Acts Like Ordinary Man Occasionally.

When on Vacations at His Summer Residence Alfonso Talks, Walks, Rides and Mingles Generally With the People.

San Sebastian, Spain.—At this beautiful northern coast resort of Spain King Alfonso XIII. enjoys life in his boyish, free fashion. Imagine a great round bay so locked in that its waters are a pond. High around its edges circle the villas of the rich, while along the sandy shore the Royal Yacht club and bath houses adjoin private beaches next to the great hotels and the public promenade.

Along the sands the public bath houses and gay tents flash all colors, fairly soaked in sunlight, even in late autumn. The stone promenade, bordered by shade trees and forged iron balustrades, continues round the bay, through gorgeous parks and gardens to the public gambling halls, with the marble terraces and flowers, restaurants and cafes of one of the most luxurious casinos of Europe. Back of all this is the modern built town of wide, shady streets, parks and monuments in bronze and marble, rich shops, cafe terraces and flaunting awnings, street sprinklers, gushing fountains and that mixed perfume of orange peel, violets and tuberose that marks the south of Europe.

Chief of the villas perched high around the bay is the king's Miramar palace, half hidden among its forests. At night any traveler can lose himself in its winding alleys, lighted by 900 electric lamps. Anyone who has been there must have thought how easy it would be for armed conspirators to enter the park and take the palace by surprise. The guard at the gate is composed of three men of the Minarets corps. At the wide door of



King Alfonso.

the palace the only sentry is an old veteran, wearing many decorations, but unarmed. The idea generally held that the king of Spain lives surrounded by an army to protect his life is absurd. The "Alabarderos"—mounted escort—and the large military staff is regularly invisible in its barracks behind the palace and exists merely to satisfy court protocol. When the royal family enjoys its home life in the evenings after audience hours are over, it is no more protected than any other well-to-do family of San Sebastian.

Every day while in residence at San Sebastian, the king, unaccompanied by soldiers, on foot, on horseback, or in auto or carriage, can be seen going about. We met him once in a lone spot of the Corniche, writes a traveler, attempting to clean three plugs that had got choked by soot. My French friends stopped and asked the customary, "Anything we can do?" "These plugs are choked with soot," replied Alfonso. His chauffeur was respectfully offering new ones, when our French friend—a pure automobile crank like the king—explained that he could clean those plugs by backing rapidly up the slope.

"That is what I said," cried Alfonso. "Oust! tumble in!" and, with a very tricky swing, he got his weight on the crank and started the heavy motor before his chauffeur knew what he was up to, jumped in beside his only companion, a silent military man, and began backing up the slope at second speed.

"Now that is just the type of automobile crank who will not let his chauffeur do a thing," explained the Frenchman. From this time Alfonso nodded to us with a smile, content that here were three men and a lady who had seen him, Alfonso, acting as a man.

Pool Ball in His Mouth.

Philadelphia.—Robert Wilson, a youth living at 1330 North Eighth street, made a bet with several companions that he had the largest mouth in the crowd, and to prove his assertion thrust a pool ball between his jaws.

He won the wager, but lost several teeth, for the ivory ball fitted his mouth so well that it took two hours' work on the part of physicians at the Children's Homeopathic hospital to remove the ball, and that was accomplished only after the forceps had been used.

Wilson walked to the hospital with his friends. The physicians first told him to force the ball out with his tongue. His efforts were unavailing and the pain from his distended jaws so great that it was determined to sacrifice five front teeth.

OLD CHINESE BANK NOTES

Paul Revere was the first American bank-note artist, and from the time of the chartering of the Bank of North America under the direction of Robert Morris in 1781, up to the present, American engravers have excelled not only in the artistic quality of their designs, but in their provisions against counterfeiting. Marco Polo found bank notes in China ages ago, printed on paper made from the bark of the mulberry tree. One of the notes, upon which the great Venetian traveler himself may have gazed, is on exhibition at this day in the office of an American company. It is one of a series issued by the Ming dynasty about 1299 A. D.—"current every where under heaven"—and seems to have been printed from wooden blocks on a sheet of paper 9x13 inches—a bigger surface than any man could cover with both hands outstretched. It is good for "one string of cash." The provision against forgery is simple to the point of severity—"Counterfeiters hereof will be executed. Persons giving information of counterfeiters will be rewarded with taels 250, and, in addition, will receive the property belonging to the criminal."

THIS FAMILY GREW RAPIDLY

His complaint that a railway station waiting room at Boynton, Okla., was without fire on a bitter cold day led to the discovery that J. M. Jackson and his wife are parents of thirteen children born in three years. Their fourteenth child, a son, is now fourteen months old. Five years ago the rapid increase in the Jackson family began. Twins then born are now five years old. Triplets succeeded the twins in twelve months, and in another year another set of triplets made their appearance. But the worst, or the best, was yet to come. One year after the last triplets came five children on the same day, making thirteen born in thirty-six months. The last five are still alive, but the health of the whole family, Jackson asserts, was impaired by the absence of warmth in the Boynton station waiting room.

UNWILLINGLY RIDES A DEER

Roy Hansbury, while hunting in Northern Wisconsin, wounded a deer, but it got onto its feet while Hansbury was astride of it and a wild ride began that continued until the hunter was dislodged.

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PLANNED REVOLT TO ACQUIRE CANAL LAND CHARGED TO TEDDY R.

His Son Angered by Boasts of ex-President, Will Revive Investigation

Gathers Evidence for House Committee.

HISTORY OF REVOLT

His Allegation That President Roosevelt Planned Insurrection of 1903 in Order to Obtain Possession of Canal Zone—Says He Has Copy of Letter From Dr. Amador to His Son in Army to Substantiate Latter Claim.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Representative Rainey of Illinois, on the theory that it is no trouble to show goods, prepared a sample of the evidence which will lay before the house committee on foreign affairs when that body holds hearings on the Rainey resolution proposing an investigation of the acquisition by the United States of the Panama canal zone. Representative Rainey has always maintained that the Panama revolution was planned by Roosevelt when he was president for the purpose of getting the canal strip. Rainey has been stirred to action recently by Roosevelt's statement that he took Panama.

In a statement made public he stated that although the "alleged Panama revolution" did not occur until the evening of Nov. 3, 1903, Dr. Amador, the first Panama president, sailed from New York to the isthmus in October with the declaration of independence and the flag of the new republic. Mr. Rainey also says that he has a copy of a letter written by Dr. Amador to his son several weeks before the revolution, detailing the plans for that interesting function.

"Several weeks prior to the Panama revolution," says the Rainey statement, "Dr. Amador, the first president, came to New York and had many conferences with William Nelson Cromwell and with Buena Vista and after having made arrangements for the revolution, he sailed for Panama. Two days before sailing he wrote the following letter to his son, Dr. Raul Amador, then serving as a surgeon in the United States army at Fort Revere, Mass.:

"I received your telegram that you were not coming, as they have refused permission. The reason for your coming was for you to meet Eugenia, to whom I have spoken of. He said that if all turns out well you shall have a good place on the medical commission, which is the one that will begin work; that my name is in his office and that certainly nothing will be refused you. The plan seems to me good. A copy of the isthmus declares itself independent and that portion of the United States will not allow any Colombian forces to attack. An assembly is called and this gives authority to a minister to be appointed by the new government, in order to make treaty without need of ratification by that assembly. The treaty being approved by both parties, the new republic remains under the protection of the United States, and to it is added the other districts of the isthmus which do not already form part of the new republic and those who remain under the protection of the United States.

"The movement will be delayed a few days. We want to have here a minister who is going to be named so that once the movement is made he can be appointed by cable and take up the treaty. In 30 days everything will be concluded. As soon as everything is arranged I will ask B. V. to look out for you. I hope if you do not wish to go he will look out for a position for you in New York. He is a man of great promise."

Dark Changes His Mind. The above, Jan. 24. — An official communication confirms the report that the hope of the birth of an heir to the throne of the Netherlands had been abandoned.

W. S. HARRIS

Constitutional Delegate Puts Curb on Convention Expenses



Mobs Threaten Violence

Springfield Negro Makes Brutal Assault on Policeman.

Springfield, O., Jan. 24.—Patrolman Patrick O'Brien was brutally assaulted when he attempted to arrest Elias Davis, colored, who had beaten up a woman. The negro escaped, but was captured after an exciting chase, in which many took part.

Davis was spirited out of the city and taken to the Dayton jail. Feeling was intense, but the police dispersed crowds as fast as they assembled. O'Brien may survive.

Pythians Meet In Columbus

Grand Lodge Officials Attend Ohio Pythian Festival.

Columbus, O., Jan. 24. — Between 2,000 and 3,000 Knights of Pythias are in Columbus today attending the Ohio Pythian festival. George M. Hanson, supreme chancellor, of Calais, Me., and Past Supreme Chancellor H. P. Brown of Cleburne, Tex., are among the speakers on the program for tonight's meeting at Memorial hall. Governor Harmon and Mayor Karb are on the program to deliver welcoming addresses. Responses will be by Grand Chancellor Spence Wallace of Steubenville and B. B. Naylor.

Two hundred candidates will be given the Grand Lodge rank. The ceremony will be held this evening in Memorial hall. Spence Wallace, Steubenville, grand chancellor; Jacob Wehrle, Columbus, past grand chancellor, and William Beatty of Toledo, grand keeper of records and seals, will officiate.

CAUCUS FAVORS FRESH CHANGE

House Democrats Indorse Proposed Steel Schedules.

GATHERING IS HARMONIOUS

Two Members From Colorado and Missouri Excused From Voting by Reason of Having Pledged Themselves to Higher Duties on Zinc and Lead—Fitzgerald Springs Proposition to Sidetrack Public Buildings Bill in Interest of Economy.

Washington, Jan. 24.—House Democrats, after a harmonious caucus lasting three hours, indorsed the iron and steel revision bill prepared by the ways and means committee. Only one change, and that a minor one, was made in the bill. The paragraph fixing the duty on "barbed and all other fence wire and wire fencing" had the words "and baling wire" included in it.

Representative Smith of Texas and some of his friends tried to put pig iron on the free list. When voted down he tried to get a record vote, but only 11 members stood with him.

Indorsement of the steel bill was unanimous, except that Rucker of Missouri and Taylor of Colorado explained they were pledged to constituents for higher rates on zinc and lead than are fixed in the bill, and consequently did not want to be bound by the caucus action. They were excused.

Free Rails Voted Down.

Representative Finley of South Carolina tried to have steel rails put on the free list. While many Democrats favored the proposition, they expressed the opinion that such action was inadvisable at this time in view of the activity of the Stanley committee, which is investigating the United States Steel corporation, and caucus indorsement of free steel rails would, they thought, be misunderstood by the country.

Representative Fitzgerald of New York, chairman of the appropriations committee, offered a resolution declaring it to be the sense of the caucus that, in view of the deficit in the treasury, there should be no public building bill passed at this session. The public buildings committee only last week voted for a \$15,000,000 bill. After some little discussion of this subject it was decided to consider the economy program at a separate conference to be held next Monday evening. Majority Leader Underwood and Chairman Fitzgerald are confident that they will be able to choke the movement for a public buildings bill at that time.

Standard Heavily Fined

Buffalo, Jan. 24.—A fine of \$55,000 was imposed on the Standard Oil company of New York for violating the Elkins act in accepting rebates from the New York Central and the Pennsylvania railways on shipments of oil from Olean, N. Y., to Burlington, Vt., during 1904 and 1905.

HOSTESS AND GUEST

Mrs. Whitelaw Reid and Duchess of Connaught.



MINERS DECIDE TO VOTE BIENNIALY

Financial Drain of Annual Elections Too Heavy.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 24.—Delegates to the national convention of the United Mine Workers of America, alarmed by the rising tide of expense in conducting the affairs of the organization, pressed to pass a constitutional amendment that after 1912 officers shall be elected every two years instead of every year. In recent years elections have cost \$200,000 each.

The first step toward a general strike of coal miners after April 1, when all contracts with the operators expire, were taken when the delegation from Iowa met and unanimously decided to go on strike April 1 unless a contract with the union granting an increase of wages is signed. President White and other miners' officials were at the meeting and pleaded with the miners not to take any radical steps, but their advice was ignored and the resolution adopted.

Suicide Pact Revealed

Girl Tells How Father Tried to Kill Family and Self.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 24.—A suicide pact contrived by the father and intended to wipe out a family consisting of father, mother and three children, was said by Gertrude McVey, 20, to explain the death of William E. McVey, Mrs. McVey and their 5-months-old child. The bodies of the three were found in a two-room shack in Shantytown, a dismal section of Taylorville, west of Terre Haute, by neighbors who were attracted by the frantic screams of Gertrude, the daughter of the dead couple.

The girl said her father had poured the poison from a bottle and deliberately gave the children and her mother the poison and then swallowed what was left in the vial.

OKEY SCHEME LISTENS GOOD SAVES TIME

CAMERA SQUAD BESIEGES ROYALTY

Princess Pat is Most Obliging of Posers.

New York, Jan. 24.—Royalty remains amiable even when plucked by the coat sleeve by minions of the camera. The Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia, on their sightseeing tour, were blockaded, ambushed and incessantly trailed by snapshots, who surged for advantage and commanded the uncle of King George and Emperor William to "Hold that pose, don't move!"

One who huddled from the mob twined the princess' cuff while he pantingly directed her to wait until he fixed a fresh plate.

The duke's attendants were little less than horror-stricken. The faces of Colonel H. C. Lowther and Captain River Bulkeley were a study in amazement. But the duke roared with laughter and Princess Pat, her eyes bright with fun, turned this way and that as orders pelted from the camera brigade. It is not so certain that Whitelaw Reid, the host, was equally diverted, but the unconquerable good humor of his guests left Mr. Reid no reason to interfere.

If Adopted Will Mean Short Convention.

MORE WORK FOR COMMITTEES

Will Hear Suggestions on Constitutional Subjects From Citizens at Weekly Meetings—Delegate Harris Calls Halt on Alleged Extravagance in Employment of Stenographers. Hoskins Springs Surprise by Withdrawing From Liquor Committee.

Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—Ohio's constitutional convention will in all probability today decide definitely whether there will be submission of a new constitution or merely amendment to the present organic law.

The rules committee recommended the adoption of a resolution submitted by Mr. Okey of Noble, which sets forth there is little demand and no need of radical change in the present constitution. Continuing it reads:

"That the labors of the convention be confined to the formulation of amendments to the existing constitution, and the submission thereof separately to the electors for adoption or rejection."

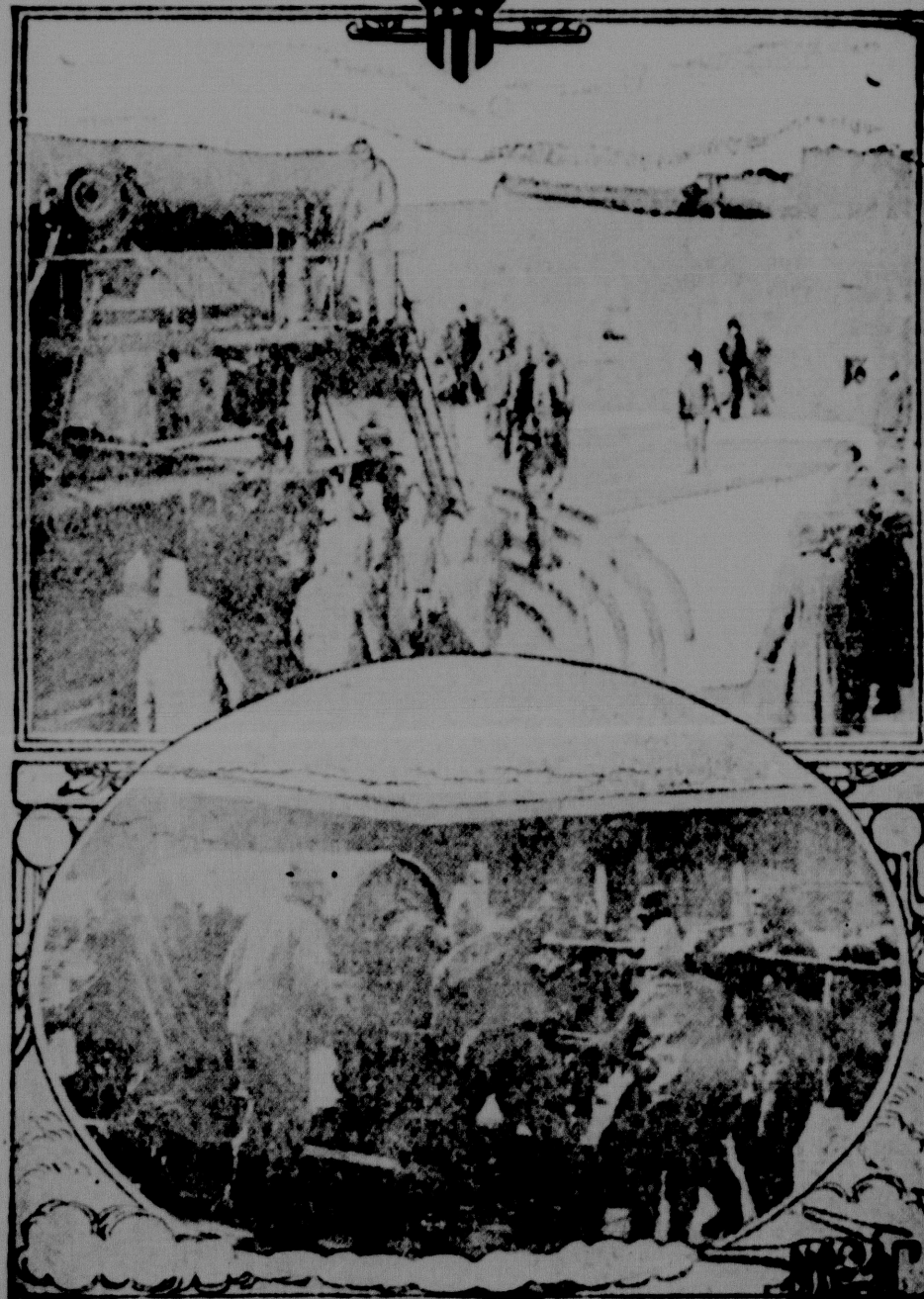
The vote on reporting the resolution was unanimous, which indicates a victory for the amendment plan on the floor when the convention meets today. It is a material success for those who want a short convention.

Two I. and R. Planks.

The decision on the Okey resolution was made by leaders of the rules committee, which include President Bickel and Mr. Hoskins of Auglaize, after several schemes had been well considered. One contemplated a new constitution and separate amendments.

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Some of the Big Guns That Guard New York From Attack



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THIS is the story of a battle recently fought in New York harbor: "The flagship of the enemy is now approaching the mine. She is closely followed by two torpedo boat destroyers. The flagship now lies over the mine, and the man at the levers and keys destroys her. The torpedo boat destroyers are driven within range of the fort's big guns that are now trained on them. Another order is given, and the torpedo boat destroyers are sunk."

Jeffersonville Postoffice Safe Cracked This Morning

Unknown Yeggsmen Make Unsuccessful Attempt to Relieve Safe of \$125 in Money and \$100 in Stamps--Hoboes Confined in Village Lockup Frighten Cracksmen Away--Big Safe Wrecked by Heavy Explosion--Citizens Awakened.

Unknown yeggsmen wrecked the big safe in the Jeffersonville postoffice about two o'clock Wednesday morning in an unsuccessful attempt to carry off the contents of the strong box, but less than \$5 reward-ed them for their efforts.

While the outer door was blown to atoms, the inner doors remained intact, retaining some \$3,000 in Postal Savings certificates, \$125 in cash and \$100 or more in stamps of various denominations. That the men did not force the inner vault is in all probability due to the yelling of a hobo who was confined in the village lock-up immediately adjoining the postoffice. He thought the building was being dynamited.

The force of the explosion was so great that a great section of the door was blown through the ceiling, and a large hole in the floor where the powerful force hurled the steel and clay. The explosion awakened a number of citizens, but none ventured forth, although some suspected that the postoffice safe had been blown again.

The postoffice was a scene of confusion, papers, steel and concrete being scattered all over the interior. Nothing else except the safe had been tampered with. Stamps and other supplies on the rural carriers' desks had not been touched.

Entrance was gained by forcing one of the side windows with tools taken from the section house which had been broken open. The attempted robbery was not discovered until Postmaster Warren W. Williams

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Frank Holmes, white, was arrested by Chief McCoy Tuesday evening and a charge of drunk and disorderly conduct placed against him.

After spending the night in jail, Holmes was taken before Mayor Smith who assessed a fine of \$5 and the costs against him, and upon non-payment of this amount, Holmes was remanded back to jail to make arrangements for paying the fine.

Too much cider is what Holmes claims caused him to become so hilly.

In connection with the case Mayor Smith said that he would not permit drunks to be upon the street if he knew it, and will enforce the law against such offenses.

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Bloomington

Mrs. E. B. Taylor was in Washington Saturday.

John Rowe, of Austin, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Milton Plummer has assumed the management of the Bloomington Meat market.

Miss Louise Bowyer, of Washington, spent Sunday the guest of Miss Bernice Holdren.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allemang, attended the Poultry show in Columbus last week.

Mrs. Cary Howland, of Washington, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hains.

Miss Effie Noble of Columbus, spent Sunday as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Noble.

J. M. Kiever is in Dayton this week attending the meeting of the National Poland-China Record Co.

Mr. Allen Whiteside of Marysville, spent Saturday and Sunday as the guest of his father, Mr. James Whiteside.

The Frankfort Basket ball team will be the attraction upon the Bloomington floor, Friday night, February 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McEwell were on Columbus Thursday night to see Emma Trentini in "Naughty Marietta" at the Hartman.

Mrs. Chadwick returned to her home in Dayton Saturday after spending two weeks as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ray Erwin.

Mrs. Elizabeth Davis and son, Francis, of Millpoint, W. Va., are spending the week as the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Campbell.

BLOOMINGBURG WINS.

The Bloomington Basketball team defeated Wilmington in a fast and well played game, Friday night, upon the home floor by the score of 29 to 19. The game was fast and considering the size of the Bloomington floor, was extremely clean, only a few fouls being called in the 40 minutes play. The winners not having played a game for a month, were not up to their best form, but their superior team work made the playing easy for them. Several times the visiting guards worked the ball down to their forwards, only for the home guards to break up the play. The good work of E. Foster, at center, made the home team loom up a great deal stronger and his consistent playing put new life in the others.

Allemang and Jefferson, the Bloomington forwards, worked well together and kept the Wilmington guards worried all the time. R. Foster and Allen, the home guards, broke up the playing of the Wilmington forwards, as to make it impossible for them to cage the ball, only to occasionally slip one in themselves.

Allemang played a brilliant game at forward, being guarded by the star of the visitors, Frazer. He caged six field goals. Frazer, of the losers played a great game at guard, while Metzger was the leading point getter, scoring eight points in the first half.

mother, Mrs. M. P. Noble, of Mason Mills, returning to the home of his brother at Cambridge, where he died January 20th. He leaves a wife, daughter, brother and a host of friends to mourn his untimely demise.

Charles Durham, Lovington, Ill. has succeeded in finding a positive cure for bed wetting. "My little boy wet the bed every night clear through on the floor. I tried several kinds of kidney medicine and I was in the drug store looking for something different to help him when I heard of Foley Kidney Pills. After he had taken them two days we could see a change and when he had taken two thirds of a bottle he was cured. This is about six weeks ago and he has not wet in bed since." Blackmer & Tanquary.

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When you feel discouraged, nervous, tired, worried or dependent it is sure sign you need MOTT'S NERVE PILLS. They renew the normal vigor and make life worth living. Be sure and ask for Mott's Nerveine Pills. Price 50c. by druggists. WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Peoria, Cleveland, O. sold at Brown's Drug Store

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Embracing in its extent such collections of pretty new Undermuslins, dainty Embroideries and Laces, handsome Table Damasks, presents to you an admirable shopping opportunity.



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EVERY woman, from the miss of sixteen up, finds her own individual taste met, and her own size, in Puritan Undermuslins.

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Look for the Puritan label on every garment.

You'll find in these just the garments you've been looking for.

Don't miss getting your share of Embroidery bargains.

Craig Brothers

Portsmouth Conflagration Similar to Washington Fire

Blaze Originated in Basement of Masonic Temple, and the Damage Will Exceed \$200,000.

Another Victim Of White Plague

Funeral services were held Tuesday over the remains of James Thacker, of Cambridge, Ohio. Mr. Thacker adds another name to the list of victims claimed by the dreadful "white plague", and like the majority of people who are afflicted with this disease, was full of hope as to his ultimate recovery, during the most of his illness. He spent the early fall months with his wife and daughter, at the home of the latter's

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are the one substitute for dangerous calomel. They do all of calomel's work without any of its bad after effects.

There is no necessity, when you take Olive Tablets, of following them up with nasty, sickening, griping salts or castor oil, as you should after taking calomel.

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Try them for a week. Take one on retiring nightly.

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10c and 25c per box.

The Olive Tablet Company of Columbus, Ohio.

CARPENTERS AT WORK.

This morning Contractor Bohn of the Y. M. C. A., put about a dozen men at work putting down floors and getting in the finish. The furnace was connected up last week and radiators put in, and with the heat in the building the work promises to move rapidly to completion.

YOU KNOW

Mr. David M. Glascock returned from Cleveland Wednesday night.

Mr. Harley Kilgore is among visitors at the Good Hope Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. William Strope, of Wichita, Kan., are the guests of Mrs. J. J. Swope.

Miss Frances Campbell spent the day of the week at her home in Cambridge.

Miss Nina Bonham is the guest of Miss Pauline Jones at Good Hope for the week.

Mr. John Baker and Mr. E. H. Hanna, of Jeffersonville, are business visitors here today.

Mr. Vance Knuckle, a well known workman, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mr. Charles Allen.

Mrs. Sidney Knight arrived from Columbus Wednesday to be the guest of Mrs. Josephine Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bonham are attending the Teachers' Institute in Good Hope today.

Mrs. Charles Stafford is in Sabina to attend the funeral of Mrs. Charles Perry, Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Auctioneer R. T. Scott spent Tuesday in Chillicothe assisting Sweptson and Son in the Chillicothe horse sale.

Mr. Charles Hays was taken quite ill at his home on W. Temple street Tuesday night. He is slightly better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris went to Mt. Sterling Wednesday to attend the funeral of the daughter of Mr. Grant Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fenner have returned to their home in Hillsboro after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller, Oak street.

Mrs. Ralph Penn and little daughter, Kathleen Florence, have returned from a week's visit with Mrs. Penn's mother, Mrs. James Priddy, at Greenfield.

Mrs. Ben Leland, Jr., and little son, Jack Tyler, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Leland, left Wednesday morning for Electra, Texas, where they join Mr. Leland and expect to make their future home. Mr. Leland is manager of the Water Union office of that city.

THE FIRST

Absolutely fire proof business and office building in Ohio is the new Rankin Building, at 22 West Gay street, Columbus, Ohio, the home of The Buckeye State Building and Loan Company. No wood was used in its construction. Not a carpenter employed. All desks, tables and chairs are iron. The doors and windows are metal. Shades are asbestos. Safe deposit boxes for rent. Assets \$5,200,000. Five per cent paid on time deposits. Write for booklets.

Thanhouser and American Tonight

The Palace

H. R. WYSONG, Baritone

The Winning of LaMesa

American Western drama. Brisking with whole-hearted western adventure. Scintillating with the quick wit of the early West. This picture well illustrates the effect of environment vs. instinct. Pauline Bush and Warren Kerrigan in the leads.

A Columbus Day Conspiracy

Features a stunning girl reporter who sets out on an interview and finds—a conspiracy. There is a wealth of good things in this melodrama, and it is all action. One of the interesting features is the Columbus Day parade, recently held in New York, with Mayor Gaynor in the reviewing stand. It's a Thanhouser, and that means THE BEST in pictures.

Now is Another Fine Program Presented In the Inimitable Palace Way

Mr. E. C. Tinschauer left Tuesday night on a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Ione Bryant arrived from Middletown, Ill., Tuesday, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank Mayer.

Mr. G. W. Giebelhouse is in Columbus on business Wednesday and is attending the K. of P. meeting.

H. H. Holdren has vacated his studio, corner Court and Fayette, but expects to open up business again as soon as suitable rooms can be obtained.

Mrs. S. D. Morgan and daughter, Mrs. Mark Mechlin, are spending a couple of days visiting friends in Good Hope and attending the Farmers' Institute.

Mayor Harvey Smith went to Columbus Wednesday morning to attend the Municipal convention of mayors in session there Wednesday and Thursday.

Rev. T. W. Locke goes to Newark this evening, called by the sudden death of Mr. Hugh Flemming, a prominent citizen and old resident of Licking county.

Walter McCoy came down from the O. S. U. Tuesday night and went to Good Hope Wednesday to judge the corn at the corn show and institute held there Wednesday and Thursday.

Messrs. Jess Blackmer, George Gregg, O. T. Grafton and Henry Smith went to Columbus Wednesday to attend the annual festival of the K. P.'s of Ohio. The Supreme lodge officers and the grand lodge officers are in attendance at the festival.

IN MEMORY.

Of Comrade W. D. Cole, we, the members of R. B. Hayes Post No. 92, Grand Army of the Republic, offer this tribute of respect and love.

Comrade Cole, like thousands of brave and patriotic young Americans, when his country's safety was threatened, enlisted for three years or during the war, served faithfully and well as a good soldier. When his term of service ended, he returned home and joined the ranks of his country's best citizens and continued to hold that position until the Great Commander summoned him to the citizenship above, where the ranks are never broken and where armies never suffer defeat.

His comrades silently and reverently bow in humble submission to heaven's will and ask that the widow, son, daughter and other relatives may have the greatest measure of God's blessing rest upon them during this season of their deepest sorrow.

Resolved, That this memoir be spread upon the post record; a copy be sent to Mrs. Cole, also that it be published in the city and county papers.

JOHN NEAR,
R. H. HARROP,
GEORGE F. ROBINSON,
Committee.

INCREASING INTEREST.

The meetings at the Presbyterian church are continuing with increasing interest.

Tuesday night Mr. Ray Zaner was in charge of the choir, which added much to the beauty and inspiration of the service by appropriate hymns and evangelical songs.

There has been a good attendance every night.

Mrs. Austin's Bag Buckwheat, delicious light cakes for breakfast, all grocers.

PURITY POTATO CHIPS SOLD AT ALL GROCERIES.

LODGE NEWS

U. R. K. P.

Annual inspection Maynard Company No. 102, U. R. K. P., January 25. All members ordered present.

O. E. HARDWAY, Capt.
F. O. CLINE, Recorder.

PROTRACTED MEETINGS.

Interesting protracted meetings are in progress at the Sugar Grove church. Rev. George Creamer, of that circuit is in charge and preaching excellent sermons every night.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

The regular meeting of the W. R. C. will be held Thursday, Jan. 25 at 2 p. m. All members cordially invited and urged to be present.

EMMA CRAIG, Pres.
EMILY BALDWIN, Secy.

FAYETTE LODGE NO. 107, F. & A. M.

Stated communication Wednesday evening, January 24, at 7 o'clock p. m., Masonic hall, 1 O. O. F. building. Brethren of all regular constituted lodges invited.

GEO. B. SWOPE, W. M.
J. N. McFADDEN, Secy.

ATTENTION.

Regular meeting of John M. Bell Post No. 119, G. A. R., Thursday evening, January 25th, 1912, at 7 o'clock p. m. All comrades are requested to be present. By order of D. R. JACOBS, P. C.

J. M. NEWLAND, Adjl.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Sharp Davies Friday, Jan. 26, at 1:30 p. m. The county president will meet with us. All members of the Union are urged to attend. By order of

PRESIDENT.

SUGAR GROVE W. C. T. U.

The last meeting of the Sugar Grove W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. O. E. Hardway on the Creek road.

Mrs. Hallie Davis presided.

Being the red letter day it was observed as Madame Willard's birthday and a very interesting program carried out.

Sixteen members were present and three visitors.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Tasso Post, Wednesday, January 31.

All members are invited to attend. dly wkly

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Sharp-Davies, Friday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m.

L. O. T. M.

Fayette Hive No. 317, Ladies of The Macabees of the World, will meet in regular review in the Eagles' Hall, Wednesday, January 24th, at 7 o'clock. Installation of officers postponed until next week.

Every member urged to be present. Each member has the privilege of inviting two lady guests.

MARY L. ENGLISH, L. C.
LILLIAN BAUGHN, R. K.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Special Evangelistic Services have been in progress in the Presbyterian church during the last two weeks. They will be continued during the next week. It is urgently desired that all the families connected with this church should attend these meetings. May we not rely upon you, your family and friends to aid these meetings by your presence?

THE PASTOR, SESSION AND BOARD OF DEACONS.

GOOD STATIONERY.

At Rodecker's News Stand will be found Eaton Crane's fine paper and envelopes in tablet form, boxes and by the pound.

HUGH C. WEIR CONTRIBUTOR TO NEW MAGAZINE.

Mr. Hugh Weir, son-in-law of Dr. E. C. Hamilton of this city, and at present visiting with his wife at the Hamilton home, is among the able contributors to Munsey's new weekly magazine, "The Cavalier".

Mr. Weir has a story in the magazine of January 13th, "The Bullet From Nowhere," a story vibrant with interest and introducing Mr. Weir's peculiar ability in the line of detective intrigue.

The Cavalier is also to publish two novelettes of Mr. Weir's in the near future.

Mrs. Weir is acting as her husband's amanuensis, taking all his stories by dictation.

Suicide Uses Shotgun Top of Head Blown Away

Albert J. Wilson, 25, Highly Respected Young Man, Living on George Moore Farm, One Mile North of Bloomingburg, Ends Life in Most Horrible Manner This Morning—Kissed Young Wife Good-bye and Blew His Head Off With Shotgun.

NO CAUSE ASSIGNED FOR ACT

With the entire top of his head blown away, and still clasping the deadly shot gun with which he did the horrible deed, Albert J. Wilson, aged 25 years, was found by his bride of one month this morning, lying in a pool of blood upon the kitchen floor, where he had fallen after pulling the trigger which sent the fatal load upon its way of destruction.

The shocking suicide occurred shortly after five o'clock upon the George Moore farm at Hains' Crossing, one mile north of Bloomingburg upon the Bloomingburg and White Oak pike, and the young man's rash act was not only dumbfounding, but so far as known was entirely without cause, and was probably committed during a moment of temporary insanity.

The first knowledge of the suicide came to the young wife like a thunderbolt about seven o'clock, when she went down stairs into the kitchen and there beheld her husband, stretched out upon the floor, while blood, pieces of skull and brain were scattered about the room.

Turning from the sickening sight and hardly knowing what she did, Mrs. Wilson ran screaming to the home of Albert Haines, who lives some 250 yards distant, and told of the tragedy.

Mr. Hains ran to the Wilson home and found the corpse.

Mr. Wilson, who is a son of Fletcher J. Wilson, of Staunton, and who has always borne an unblemished reputation, was married to Miss Hallie Hiser, daughter of Mr. John Hiser of Milledgeville, on December 24, 1911, and had recently moved to the George Moore farm. The young couple had been very happy together, and no thought of trouble appeared upon their apparently cloudless horizon.

Shortly before five o'clock Wednesday morning, Mr. Wilson arose and requested his wife to remain in bed until he built the fires, when he would call her. During the night he had been exceedingly restless, and had expressed his anxiety about certain stock which he had been caring for, and some of which had gotten out.

Just before leaving the bed room he stooped and kissed his wife, and at the same time it is supposed that he pulled the shot gun from beneath the bed where it was kept. He passed from the room, closed the door, and also all of the doors between the bed room and kitchen.

A short time afterward Mrs. Wilson was awakened by a loud noise, which she supposed was the slamming of a door. She soon fell asleep once more.

The next time she awoke it was about seven o'clock, and hurriedly dressing she went below and made the discovery that what she had mistaken for a door being violently closed, had been a gun shot which ended the life of her husband.

Wilson had stood before a mirror in the kitchen, and placing the muzzle of a double-barreled shot gun in the socket of his right eye, had discharged the right barrel, the load tearing away the entire crown of his head, spattering blood and brains and sections of the skull over the ceiling and floor.

Some of the shot penetrated a window, breaking out two panes of glass and tearing the window shade, which was partly drawn at the time.

When Coroner Howell of this city reached the spot, Wilson's body lay as it had fallen, between the kitchen sink and stove, and the shot gun was clasped against the body. It was a most repulsive sight, and neighbors who had gathered in were almost overcome by the gruesomeness of the scene. The coroner's verdict will be death by suicide.

A razor was found in one of the man's coat pockets. When found the remains were garbed in the young man's usual work clothes, and a pair of house slippers were upon his feet. Mr. George Moore, upon whose farm Wilson lived, visited the farm Tuesday and found Wilson was not in the best of spirits, but he did not

complain.

Funeral Director Albert McCoy took charge of the remains, and funeral services will be announced later.

Mrs. Wilson is completely prostrated over the tragedy, and members of both the Wilson and Hiser families are heart-broken. The shock came like a thunder-bolt from a clear sky and no reason whatsoever can be found for the young man's rashness.

The deceased was at one time a member of Company M, O. N. G., of this city, and has a host of warm friends here.



J. H. BALMER, Organizer of KAFFIR BOY CHOIR, a noted Englishman, to appear with the Boys.

When Balmer's Kaffir Boys appear at Grace church on January 26 the greatest interest will center in the boys and their wonderful singing, but it is not unusual for audiences to become just as thoroughly interested in Mr. J. H. Balmer, the originator, organizer, trainer and manager of this unique and remarkable concert attraction. When Mr. Balmer dies there will be no more Kaffir Boys' Choir for it is almost a certainty that no other man could accomplish what he has done. To train five boys to present a fine, high-class musical program and keep them up to a certain standard at all times while traveling and singing in a different town each night is a huge task, but to do this with wild savages who do not know a word of English, to say nothing about having an idea of music, except their own native songs, is a task that seems impossible of accomplishment. It required a man of Mr. Balmer's attainments, a fine musician himself and a trainer of boys' choirs, a wide traveler, a knowledge of the people of South Africa and of their language, a patience infinite, and a desire to help the church people of South Africa—this combination could be found only in Mr. Balmer. He is a remarkable man.

The reception given the wonderful singing Kaffir boys on their tour around the world is ample proof that their entertainment is the most unique, charming, informing and pleasing before the American public today.

IN GREAT BRITAIN.—Laurels were won from the highest and most critical in the land. Mr. Balmer had the honor of appearing before Her Most Gracious Majesty the late Queen Victoria; the present Princess of Wales; their Royal Highnesses, the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh; His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught; Their Imperial Highnesses, the late Duke and Duchess of Teck; the late Right Hon. W. E. and Mrs. Gladstone, at great social functions in London and the country.

The London Daily News says: "Mr. J. H. Balmer, F. R. G. S., who is now touring England with his African boys, has had a remarkable career. He is the son of a venerable minister at Blackpool. Twenty-nine years ago, as a young man, he was threatened with consumption, and sailed to Africa to save his life. The climate restored him to perfect health, and by entering the Dark Continent Mr. Balmer's interest in the natives was aroused. He has great musical gifts, and assisted by Miss Elsie Clark, who is a born Colonial, has trained groups of African boys.

Of the program to be given by the Kaffir Boys we have had much to say and will have more. Mr. Balmer is a splendid speaker and gives entertaining and informing talks on the country, its people, their manners and customs.

Grace M.E. Church, Jan. 26, 8 P.M

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Tickets on sale at W. H. Dial's office, or can be purchased of any High School member of the Epworth League.

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PRICE 5c, 10c and 15c each

We can furnish Mrs. Phillips' Home Baked Cakes any time by giving us a days notice. When baked to order we do not furnish less than a whole cake, price \$1.

TODAY

We have Dickinson's Rice Pop Corn in 1 lb. packages, price 10c and each package will make 10 quarts of popped corn. Its a good one and will furnish you lots of amusement as well as a lot of good eating.

Our first Red Ruby Prunes arrived today, 20c lb.

Fresh Kale and Spinach tomorrow morning.

Herring Roe in 2 lb cans, price 20c. This is a new one in this market and we believe will make a big seller. Try a can.

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Poetry—Today

THE DUSTMAN.
Over some he sprinkled gold.
Over some he sprinkles gray!
On his courser swift and bold
He is riding day by day.
Over some he sprinkles joy.
Over some he sprinkles care;
What is that you say, my boy,
He's already touched my hair?
Over some he sprinkles dust
Of the dreams of happy life;
Over some he sprinkles trust
In the bloom beyond the strife.
Unannounced and unproclaimed
From mysterious places far
He had come all unashamed.
And he makes us what we are.
Never think of him at all.
Never worry, never mind;
If his dust in silence fall,
Then he wishes to be kind.
And, indeed, 'tis best for me
And for you to never know
How he brings the dust of glee,
How he brings the dust of woe.
Over some he sprinkles spring.
Over some he sprinkles fall;
In the end he'll surely bring
Dust of gray to crown us all.
Dust of dreams are in his pall.
Dust of hopes for weary head;
Dust of love for those who fall,
Dust of victory for the dead.
—Baltimore Sun.

Weather Report

Washington, Jan. 24.—Ohio and Western Pennsylvania—Fair and colder Wednesday; Thursday fair; light to moderate northwest winds.
West Virginia—Fair and colder Wednesday; Thursday fair.
Lower Michigan—Fair and somewhat colder Wednesday; Thursday fair; light to moderate northwest winds, becoming variable.
Indiana, Tennessee and Kentucky—Fair and somewhat colder Wednesday; Thursday fair.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 8 p. m. Tuesday:	Temp.	Weather
Columbus	35	Cloudy
New York	42	Clear
Atlantic City ..	44	Clear
Albany	28	Snow
Boston	40	Cloudy
Buffalo	24	Cloudy
Chicago	29	Clear
St. Louis	48	Clear
New Orleans ..	62	Clear
Washington	48	Clear
Philadelphia ..	46	Clear

Weather Forecast.
Washington, Jan. 24.—Indications for tomorrow:
Ohio—Fair; light to moderate westerly winds.

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Hetteshimer is agent for the "Howard watch."

Coughs are Warnings

of something amiss in throat or lungs. Colds mean a tearing down; an attack on vitality. A remedy to cure properly must not drug away the cough. It must search out and remove the real trouble. Then the cure is a right one. Our

Nyal's Cherry Cough Syrup

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Both phones 52
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HERE'S A REASON



Caucus Favors Fresh Change

(Continued from Page One.)

arate submission of the initiative and referendum and other planks. The I. and R. supporters proposed to incorporate the proposals for direct legislation in the main body of the constitution also to make doubly sure of its adoption by the electors. Ways and means were arranged whereby every citizen of Ohio may have an opportunity to appear before one of the convention committees to give his views on the questions that are to be decided. This was done by assigning to each of the 19 committees one regular weekly meeting at which it may consider any proposition made.

There are 118 proposals before the convention and a new flood is coming today. Walter F. Brown of Lucas will present one making the supreme court an advisor of the legislative department, to tell it what acts will be constitutional and what will not, and to help draft laws so they may withstand the acid test.

The convention set itself to an economy program after Harris of Ashabula had pointed out that the \$200,000 appropriated by the general assembly will soon be gone if alleged extravagance continued. Mr. Doty of Cuyahoga had proposed a new stenographer to serve four committees, and Mr. Harris strenuously objected, pointing out that Mr. Doty was proposing to let the bars down and allow each committee to name a separate clerk. He contended that the secretary, with occasional stenographic assistance, could do the work. The convention named a committee to investigate.

It was with the same economy idea that the convention, 42 to 47, turned down a proposition to suspend the rules on a resolution to engage Rev. Washington Gladden as chaplain.

Hoskins Quits Committee.
One of the surprises was the retirement of Mr. Hoskins of Auglaize from the liquor traffic committee. Six years ago he ran for secretary of state as a dry. Last fall he had the support of the wets, and in the convention was classed as a neutral. President Bigelow substituted himself on the committee, while the convention wondered why Mr. Hoskins had stepped aside.

Among most important proposals presented were three by Dr. Fess of Greene, remodeling the educational system of the state. He would make the commissioner of education appointive by the governor, and have a state board of education of five members to manage the normal schools and to have general supervision of common schools. He would give the legislature authority to pension teachers.

Judge Gockel of Clark proposes to abolish the unanimous jury decision in all save homicides. Lampson of Ashabula proposes issuance of good roads bonds up to 1 per cent of the grand tax duplicate and not to exceed \$10,000,000 in any one year.

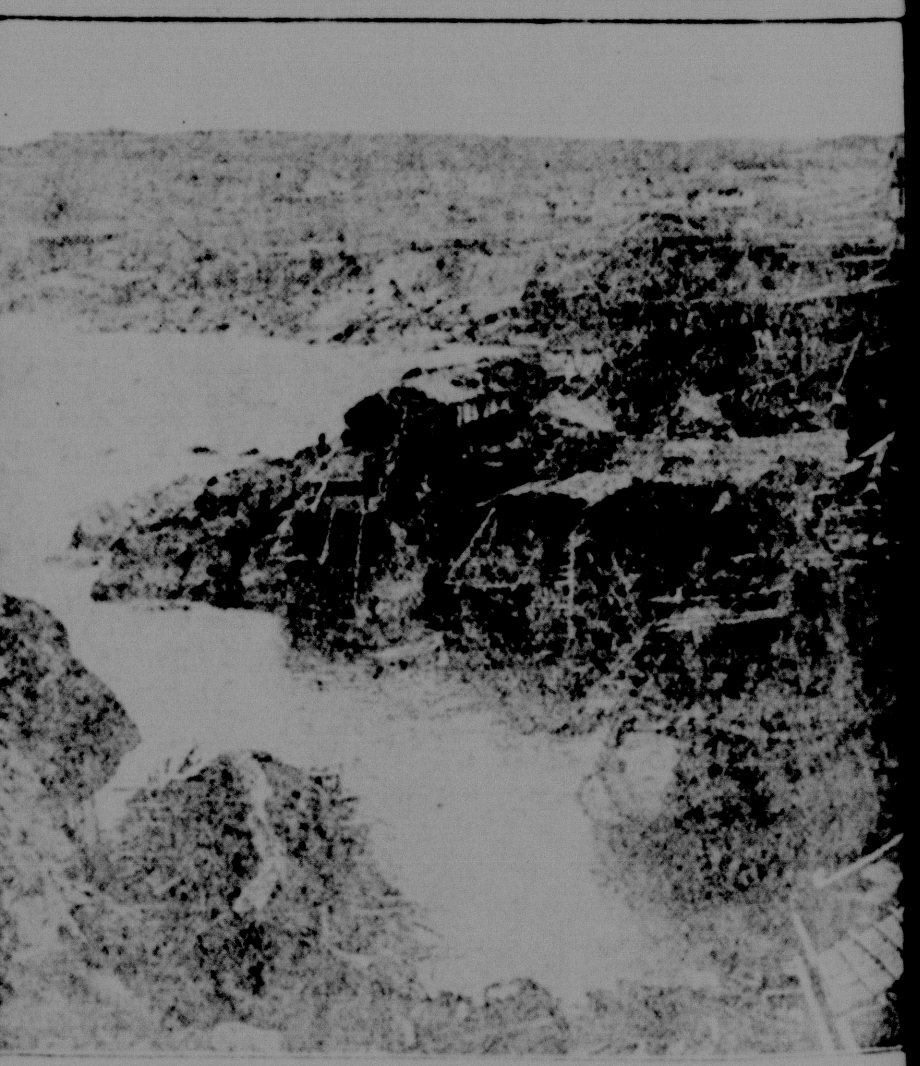
THE DANGER OF LA GRIPPE

Is its fatal tendency to pneumonia. To cure your la grippe coughs take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. R. E. Fisher, Washington, Kas., says: "I was troubled with a severe attack of lagrippe and nothing I used did me any good and I was threatened with pneumonia. A friend advised me to use Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and I got some at once. I was relieved from the very first. By the time I had taken three bottles my la grippe was gone. I believe Foley's Honey and Tar Compound to be the best medicine I ever used and always keep a bottle with me." Blackmer & Tanquary.

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Pouch Cove, Newfoundland



Pouch Cove is a typical fishing village near the city of St. John's, Newfoundland. Practically all of the 230,000 inhabitants of the island are to be found in just such villages, of which there are 2,300 around the coast. When the codfish are brought in they are dried on such racks as those shown in the photograph. This work of "making the fish," as it is termed by the fish folk, is performed largely by women, who carry the fish from the boats, spread them over the racks and keep turning them until they are thoroughly cured. The sheds are but storehouses for the fish when they are ready for market.

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Worldly Success
Much Depends on Ideas of Life's Purpose
by G. BRADITT

WHETHER a man's life in this world is successful or not depends on the idea which is held of the purpose for which life is given. If we believe that death ends all, the conclusion may be not unreasonably reached that the successful life is one into which are crowded the greatest number of material blessings and the least amount of earthly discomfort. But if, on the other hand, we are convinced that our brief stay in this mundane sphere of existence was designed to be a preparation for an endless hereafter, then that is the successful life in which such preparation is most adequately made. The question is therefore, primarily, the great and abiding one of man's immortality.

But, apart from this point, we may well ask ourselves what kind of life is the happiest for men, for that life is surely the most successful which is the most truly happy. And we have no right to assume that the conditions of happiness are different in this world and in the other. Rather ought we to say that they must be the same for human beings everywhere.

Happiness may be defined as the state of mind which is realized by living according to divine order. That order consists in obedience to God's commandments, chief among which are those which prescribe love to the Lord and love to the neighbor. These are, indeed, the briefest summary of man's duty. They cannot be put in practice except by acts of usefulness and kindness. Hence it follows that true happiness is experienced only in unselfish service for others.

Of this character should be the daily work or calling of every man. According as such is the case with anyone, his life is successful, not only as regards his own welfare and his influence upon his fellow men here on earth, but also as being the appointed gateway into life everlasting.



BONDS IN OHIO

What People in the Cities and Towns in the Buckeye State Are Doing and Saying--Notes of Interest.

Goos Back to Reform Farm.
Cincinnati, O., Jan. 24.—"I wanted to go back to the Lancaster reformatory. They started to teach me something there, and I wanted to go back and let them finish. That's why I stole," was the confession of Charles Williams, 19, made to parole officer John Theobald of the Lancaster reformatory school. He was charged with burglary. He was taken back to Lancaster.

Bandit Robs Five Men.
Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—The police are looking for a tall negro who held up five men in three groups, at the point of a revolver, near Taylor's Station, and robbed them of \$10.60 and a ring. The man pulled off the hold-ups one after another with daring rapidity, working even after a search for him had been started.

Fire Destroys Masonic Temple.
Portsmouth, O., Jan. 24.—A fire which broke out in the basement of the Bragdon Dry Goods company's store, in the Masonic temple, is believed to have caused a loss of more than \$200,000. The entire building of six stories was gutted.

Plan Ohio Ginseng Club.
Worster, O., Jan. 24.—The ginseng growers of Ohio are going to organize a society. The officers of the Worster agricultural experiment station have invited the growers to meet at the station Feb. 9 for the purpose.

Will Sue For Dowry.
Martins Ferry, O., Jan. 24.—James Constans, a business man, is suing for divorce, and announces he will sue for the balance of \$1,500 which he says he was promised him by relatives of the girl as her dowry. The couple lived together a month.

Oppose Open Gas Stoves.
Cleveland, O., Jan. 24.—Because 12 deaths from asphyxiation have taken place within the past three weeks, an ordinance will be introduced in council to prohibit the use of gas connections without a perfect flue outlet.

Woman Fatally Burned.
Zanesville, O., Jan. 24.—Mrs. Mary Mattingly was fatally burned while preparing dinner. Gas which had accumulated in the oven of the range exploded and enveloped her in flames.

Even Killed in Mines.
Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—According to reports received by Chief Mine Inspector George B. Harrison, 11 fatalities have occurred in the coal mines of the state thus far this month.

Four Buildings Burn.
Tledo, O., Jan. 24.—Fire destroyed four buildings in the center of Swanum with \$50,000 loss.

FIND MORGAN'S CLOCK.
Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—An old clock, which at one time occupied the cell at the penitentiary in which the Confederate general John Morgan was confined, has been found in a storeroom at the prison and has again been put in running order.

The promoters of some of these political booms should read the ordinances prescribing the penalties for firing in false alarms. St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Urges Haste In Probe

Senator Culberson Wants Facts About Campaign Funds.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Senator Culberson stirred the senate by a speech in which he demanded that the senate committee on audit and control of the contingent expenses of the senate act without delay on his resolution directing the senate committee on privileges and elections to investigate and report on the campaign funds of the national campaign committees in the campaigns of 1904 and 1908. The senator repeated the charges as to the size of these campaign funds and went into the Roosevelt-Hartman incident growing out of the campaign of 1904.

Senator John Sharp Williams of Mississippi introduced a drastic bill to regulate interstate commerce corporations by prescribing the conditions on which such corporations may engage in such commerce.

Mr. Thad P. Carr, tuner, is now in Washington. Leave orders at Cherry Hotel. 15 6t

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND "CURES IN EVERY CASE."

Mr. Jas. McCaffery, Mgr. of the Schlitz Hotel, Omaha, Neb., recommends Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, because it cures in every case. "I have used it myself and I have recommended it to many others who have since told me of its great curative power in diseases of the throat and lungs." Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a reliable family medicine. Give it to your children, and take it yourself when you feel a cold coming on. It checks and cures coughs, colds and croup and prevents bronchitis and pneumonia. Refuse substitutes. Blackmer & Tanquary.

To Feel Public Pulse

Sims Opens Roosevelt Headquarters in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Theodore Roosevelt presidential nomination headquarters were opened here in the Congress hotel. Edwin W. Sims, former United States district attorney in Chicago, will be placed in charge and will be on hand each day to direct the publicity end of the Roosevelt boom. The purpose of the Roosevelt move is an effort to sound the sentiment of the country relative to the advisability of the former president as a candidate at this time.

Want ads. are profitable.

DATE GROWING IN TEXAS

Federal Government Aiding Development of Fruit in Southern Part of Lone Star State.

Fort Brown, Tex.—The federal government is lending valuable assistance to the development of the date growing industry in South Texas. In the government plant testing gardens at Fort Brown are a number of varieties of date palms which are said to be doing as well as in the countries where these fruit bearing trees are native.

There are already many producing date palms in the lower border region of Texas, but it was not until the last few years that steps began to be taken to place the industry on a



Texas Date Tree

commercial basis. As a result of the success that has been attained at the Fort Brown reservation in growing the palms many people of this section have planted large groves of the trees and some of them have already come into bearing. A co-operative date farm, conducted by the United States department of agriculture, was also established near Laredo, Tex., a few years ago. Four acres of the palms have been planted and a large part of them are in bearing. The yield of some of the trees is enormous, often amounting to as much as 500 pounds of the delicious fruit.

One of the requirements of successful date growing is an abundance of water and plenty of sunshine. There must also be a minimum of cold weather. Rich soil is, of course, necessary. All of these elements are found in the region. Some of the seeding date palms on the ranches and farms of this section have been producing abundant crops of fruit for many years, but it was not until the government took hold of the matter and began to demonstrate the possibilities of the industry from a commercial standpoint that it was taken hold of on a scale commensurate with the profitable returns that it promises to bring the growers.

MAN WHO SUGGESTED PEACE

Was Long Time Finding Out What He Was Good For, But Finally Landed High.

New York.—It took Lincoln Steffens a long time to find out what he was good for. He spent his youth in California hunting and having a good time generally. He was graduated from the University of California and then he went to Europe, where he studied in the Universities of Heidelberg, Leipzig, Berlin and the Sorbonne. He topped that study off by marrying a fellow student at Sorbonne and going to London, where he spent much time in research work in the British museum. Then he considered himself ready to enter the field of letters. He



Lincoln Steffens.

was made editor of McClure's after several years of newspaper work.

One day Mr. McClure, just back from abroad, entered Steffens' office and said without preamble: "Steffens, you're getting out a rotten magazine. You don't know anything about the country. Don't you realize you are living in the United States? Go out and see something."

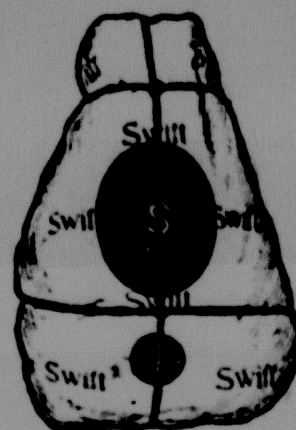
Steffens did. He had imagination and enthusiasm and had at last become limbered up mentally after his long years of academic study. He had energy and an unlimited supply of questions. The result of that trip was "The Shame of the Cities," a series of exposures of municipal graft that made him famous.

25-pound Sacks
Granulated Sugar
only \$1.50 each

Something Worth Talking About
Canned Fresh
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8 to 12 lbs average
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Another lot of 600 pounds for this week. This makes a total of 1500 lbs of these famous Hams in the last three weeks.



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Mrs. Austin's Bag Buckwheat, delicious light cakes for breakfast, all grocers.

Want ads are profitable

Owing to The Crowds Turned Away

THE BIG Industrial Exposition

At Springfield, Ohio

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Band Concerts **Vaudeville Acts**
See the "Romance of The Reaper."

Portrayed by motion pictures and showing the evolution of harvesting machinery from its crudest inception to its present state of perfection.

Admission 10c. The admission price includes entrance to Industrial Exposition and all special features. There is absolutely no further charge. Come and stay all day. Restaurant right in the Auditorium.

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HARD WATER STICKS TO YOUR BATH TUB EXACTLY AS IT CLINGS TO YOUR CLOTHES WHEN LAUNDERED IN HARD WATER.

That's ONE reason why you ought to send your clothes to Rothrock's, where nothing but **SOFT WATER** is tolerated.

ROTHROCK'S STEAM LAUNDRY

Hot Water Bottle Comfort--YNOT

The proper way to use a hot water bottle is to have it covered or wrapped. The Ynot Bottle Cover does the work neatly and quickly and keeps the rubber from coming in direct contact with the skin.

One of these covers free with every Water Bottle this week. Come in and see them, 75c to \$2.50.

CHRISTOPHER
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DRUGS
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"Gee! I Forgot Everything but

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But you can be sure be remembered Kellogg's.

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A delightful taste of purest white corn flaked and then toasted in the inimitable Kellogg way.

Have Kellogg's for tomorrow's breakfast and delight the family.

THE ORIGINAL HAS THIS SIGNATURE

W. K. Kellogg



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Will Open Hardware Store In the Persinger Building

Willard E. Martin, member of the firm of The Fayette County Hardware Company, will soon open a store in the Persinger building, in the large rooms between the Arcade Livery barn and the new residence of Dr. Gribble.

The rooms will be remodeled, at once, and converted into a first class set of business rooms. The smaller room will be used for an outer office, while the other mammoth room will be utilized for storing the large stock.

Mr. Martin, who has been associated with the implement and hardware business for a great many years and is known as an efficient hardware man, will handle a large line

of buggies, wagons, farming implements and machinery, harness, gasoline engines.

He expects to open for business between the first and tenth of next month, and a little later when the rooms are entirely remodeled and he has been fully established, he will install a full line of hardware and supplies.

Mr. Martin will have full charge of the business, and the firm name will be Willard E. Martin.

Fayette street will soon assume a much more business-like appearance than at present, as the Stutson Department store and Martin Hardware store will go a great way in making it one of the real busy streets.

CLUB NEWS

The Clonians enjoyed their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Josephine Kerr Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank M. Fullerton read a synopsis of the new play "Bunt Pulls the String," that is creating such a furor in New York.

Thursday Mrs. Fullerton entertains the Clonians at their twenty-fifth anniversary dinner.

There was a large attendance at last night's Browning club meeting, in charge of the Social Science and Philanthropy department, Mrs. Ada Jones, chairman.

In connection with the study of Wales three exceedingly well written and interesting papers were presented.

Miss Minnie Light treated of "Swansea and the Tin Industry," Miss Ella Hess of "The Mines," and Mrs. Blessing of the "Welsh church." Edwards Hopkins and Miss Jean Fitzgerald favored the club women with pretty piano solos.

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FOREIGN SECRETARY UPHELD

Sir Edward Grey's Anglo-German Negotiations Approved and His Resignation Not Tendered.

London.—Those well-informed in British state affairs say that it was the intention of Sir Edward Grey, Great Britain's foreign secretary, to resign his post unless supported in his Anglo-German negotiations. His statement on the subject, which was submitted to parliament recently was approved, and the crisis safely passed. Sir Edward has been secretary of state for foreign affairs since 1905.



Sir Edward Grey.

Irish nationalists are playing a waiting game in parliament. Members of the usually turbulent little band which sits below the gangway of the house of commons have kept themselves in hand so far, although they are deeply interested in the insurance bill which is occupying all the time of the house.

William O'Brien and his handful of followers sometimes try to excite their fellow countrymen by engaging in sarcasm at their expense, but without success. The nationalist benches are quietly waiting for 1912, "Ireland's year," as they call it.

While the rankers of the nationalist party are doing missionary work in the lobby, the leader, John Redmond, is busy explaining home rule to the people of England. Mr. Redmond's campaign already has extended over Scotland in the north to the extreme south of England. The colonial secretary, Lewis Harcourt, accompanied him in the midlands, and at other places ministers and liberal leaders have sat with him on the platform.

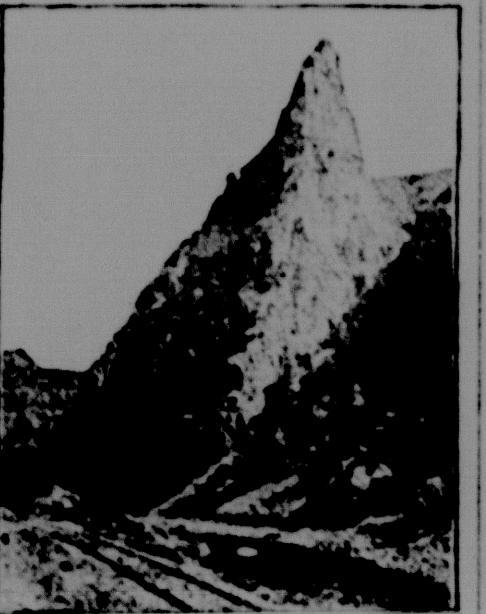
Press reports of the meetings record very few interruptions of the Irish leader.

Mr. Redmond and other Irish members impress upon their audiences that what Ireland demands is not separation, but "the right of managing its own affairs in a subordinate place, subject to the supremacy of the imperial parliament, a demand that never has been made by any community of white men in the empire and refused except in the case of Ireland."

GIANT ROCK LIKE A SPIRE

Curecanti Needle in Black Canyon Rises to a Height of 1,600 Feet Above Surroundings.

Gunnison, Colo.—An enormous spire of rock, the Curecanti needle, is an isolated mountain spire rising to the height of 1,600 feet above the Black canyon of the Gunnison in Colorado. The Gunnison canyon is



Curecanti Needle.

deemed equal in natural beauty to that of the Royal gorge.

The Gunnison river dashes through this wild canyon with such impetuosity that it is beaten to foam amidst the ragged boulders. The canyon walls are pleasingly colored and are constantly opening and closing to the view. Chipeta falls dashes down a lofty wall and the tremendous splinter of the Curecanti needle pierces to the clouds. It is a region of wild and rugged beauty.

Four-Year-Old Firebug.
Chicago.—Arrested, charged with starting a fire in an alley, a four-year-old "miscreant" told the sergeant the 300-pound policeman who made the pinch was "a big story-teller" and was released.

RED CROSS FOUNDER

Clara Barton Celebrates Ninetieth Birthday Anniversary.

Falling Health of Woman Who Conceived Idea of Aiding Wounded Soldiers During Civil War Prevents Celebration.

Washington.—Miss Clara Barton, famous the world over as a Red Cross worker, reached her ninetieth birthday anniversary Christmas day. Congratulatory messages from friends and admirers in many parts of the world were received at the home of the famous nurse at Glen Echo, Md., a few miles from this city.

Friends and neighbors of Miss Barton contemplated having a celebration of her anniversary, but all plans in this direction were abandoned because of the precarious condition of her health.

Miss Barton has been falling ever since her serious illness last winter. Of the friends who called at Glen Echo only the most intimate were permitted to see her.

Few women of America have had a more active or more interesting career than Clara Barton. She was born in Oxford, Mass., December 25, 1821, the daughter of Capt. Stephen Barton, who fought under Gen. Anthony Wayne. In her early career she was a school-teacher. She founded a free school at Bordentown, N. J., which, beginning with six pupils, quickly grew until it numbered nearly 600. This work she gave up to accept a place in the patent office at Washington, which she held until the outbreak of the Civil war.

After giving up her government position Miss Barton advertised in a newspaper in Worcester, Mass., that she would receive stores and money for wounded soldiers at the front, which she personally would distribute. Her appeal was liberally answered, and she began her great relief work.



Clara Barton.

She continued with the soldiers in Virginia during nearly the entire period of the war, being head nurse of the hospitals among the armies on the James.

Miss Barton went to Europe in 1869 and was abroad when the Franco-Prussian war broke out. She lost no time in going to Strassburg and beginning the work of nursing the wounded soldiers. She proceeded later to Paris and rendered assistance in relieving distress at the time of the commune.

The American Association of Red Cross was formed in 1881, and Miss Barton was chosen its first president, which position she continued to fill until the reorganization of the society several years ago, when, realizing that she was no longer young enough to direct the affairs of the society, she yielded the management to other hands.

During the more than twenty years that Miss Barton sustained the movement in America, she visited numerous scenes of disaster, such as Johnstown after the flood, Galveston after the tidal wave, sections where forest fires had denuded the country and impoverished its people, or where the abundant waters of the Mississippi had overflowed, carrying death and desolation to thousands.

It is to be earnestly hoped that Miss Barton will live to witness many more Christmas days. She is comforted and sustained in her declining days by the prayers and blessings of many who have benefited by her gentle ministrations, and by the knowledge of good work accomplished.

CAN'T TELL HIS SONS APART

Marvelous Texas Twins Who Exchange Sweethearts and the Latter Don't Know It.

Fort Worth, Texas.—John Cobb Harris, a wealthy Mansfield farmer, came to Fort Worth to make a new will, because he was unable to tell his twin sons apart. The will he destroyed gave John Harris certain property and Cobb, the other twin, other realty, but Harris had divided his property just opposite to his own desires.

Harris' sons are 22 years of age and among the most remarkable twins in the country. Both are six feet six inches tall and muscular. With their hats on their father cannot tell one from the other, but John is a little more bald than his brother.

The twins keep a common bank account and always speak of "our money," "our horse" and even "our girl," as they frequently play a joke on their sweethearts by exchanging them.

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Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral.
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Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.
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At 6 months old
35 DROPS—35 CENTS
Guaranteed under the Food and Drug Act.
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The Kind You Have Always Bought

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King in the West

J. Harry King, former resident of this city and New Holland, where he was engaged in the printing business is now editor and manager of the Ordway Call, an eight-page weekly newspaper published at Ordway, Colorado.

Mr. King will be remembered by many Washington and Fayette county citizens.

Marshal Missing Grave Fears Held

The mysterious absence of Charles C. Cannon, who disappeared from his home at Feebles, in which village he was marshal, has caused a sensation in that part of the state.

Marshal Cannon left for Cincinnati nearly a month ago, and has not been heard from. His wife and six children are prostrated with grief, believing him dead. No cause for his absence can be found other than death, as he was not in financial trouble, and no family trouble was known.

Sues for Divorce

Chas. Walters has brought suit in Common Pleas court against Edna Walters, charging her with gross neglect and seeking the society of other men, and asks divorce from her. They were married in New Lexington on January 16, 1905.

THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

Our oysters are of the best, coming to town, 35c per quart, solid measure. Finest smoked bacon, 12 1-2c per lb. Hand-picked soup beans, 5 1-2c per lb. Red kidney beans, 7 1-2c per lb. Marrow fat beans, 7c per lb. 4 lbs. for 25c. Lima beans, 8 1-2c per lb. Oranges, cranberries, apples, nuts of all kinds.

J. W. DUFFEE & CO.
The Old Reliable Cash Grocers
Both phones No. 77.

DAILY TIME TABLE

BALTIMORE & OHIO			
GOING WEST		GOING EAST	
NO.	Cincinnati	NO.	Columbus
105	5:02 A. M.	102	5:02 A. M.
61	8:23 A. M.	104	10:36 A. M.
103	3:32 P. M.	108	4:15 P. M.
107	6:14 P. M.	106	11:11 P. M.

CINCINNATI & MIDDLETOWN VALLEY			
GOING WEST		GOING EAST	
NO.	Cincinnati	NO.	Zanesville
21	9:00 A. M.	6	9:45 A. M.
19	3:35 P. M.	20	5:58 P. M.
	Cincinnati		Lancaster
	Sdy		Sdy
	8:20 A. M.		9:15 P. M.

CINCINNATI, HAMILTON & DAYTON			
GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH	
NO.	Dayton	NO.	Wichita
55	7:53 A. M.	202	9:38 A. M.
203	3:57 P. M.	56	6:12 P. M.
Sdy	9:25 A. M.	Sdy	9:38 A. M.
Sdy	8:22 P. M.	Sdy	6:12 P. M.

DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON			
GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH	
NO.	Springfield	NO.	Cincinnati
2	7:53 A. M.		9:50 A. M.
6	2:52 P. M.		8:00 P. M.

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TUESDAY, JAN. 23, 1912

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One word 12 times.....3c
One word 26 times.....4c
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WANTED.

WANTED—Dry goods salesman who can trim windows and write show cards. The Marting Bros. Co., Portsmouth, Ohio. 21 21

WANTED—To rent a farm of 100 acres or more, grain rent preferred. Address Geo. Davis, Sabina, O. R. 3. 20 21

WANTED—At once, man and wife to keep house in the country. J. W. Rothrock, Citiz. phone 720. 19 61

WANTED—Two men having ability as salesmen to handle city and country proposition. Splendid opportunity for live men. Call for interview, Wm. Connolly, Arlington Hotel, after 6 p. m. any evening.

WANTED—Men and Women, sell guaranteed hose, 70 per cent. profit. Make \$10 daily. Full or part time. Beginners investigate. Wear Proof, 1038 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. to Feb 16

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FOR RENT—6-room cottage; 4 rooms in double, corner Delaware & Temple. H. W. Willis, Mt. Sterling, Ohio. 20 61

FOR RENT—5-room house on Rose avenue near North street; 6-room house on Broadway, bath, gas and city water in house. Call Mrs. W. E. Taylor, both phones. 20 61

FOR RENT—2 rooms over Wondeland theater. 18 61

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage, electric and gas fixtures complete; city and rain water. Inquire W. F. Willette, 112 North St. 18 61

FOR RENT—5-room cottage, city water, good location, Temple street. Mrs. E. F. Leland. 17 61

FOR RENT—Four rooms, with hard soft water in house. 491 E. First street. Citiz. phone 3161. 307 121

FOR RENT—7-room house and barn on Clinton avenue; city water and gas. C. F. Highley, both phones. 29

FOR SALE—Three acres with new house and barn, orchard and small fruit on Prairie pike. Bell phone 306 B. 13 261

FOR RENT—8-room house, conveniences, one square from court house. Barnetts Grocery. 286 11

FOR RENT—7-room modern house on Market street. Inquire at the Washington Meat Market. 272 11

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Barrad Plymouth Rock cockerels. Mrs. O. E. Hardway. 20 61

FOR SALE—One long, black cloth coat 38 or 40 breast measure. No. 117 E. Temple St. 21 21

WANTED—A good girl at Bell De-witt's, at once. 21 21

As. H. Allen Out For Commissioner

As. H. Allen, better known as "Doc" Allen, of this city, announces himself a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Commissioner, and will make a strong effort to win in the May primary. Mr. Allen has a host of friends throughout the county, and believes with their assistance he can carry off the prize.

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Osteopathic Physician
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GIRL COULD NOT SLEEP.

Miss Van Steenburg, a Brooklyn girl, lately found herself unable to sleep. Of course she was worried because there is nothing that will more quickly and certainly wreck health than to be unable to rest at night. Now sleeplessness is just a symptom of failing health, and is caused by unequal circulation of the blood. Someone evidently gave her some good advice, for she says in a recent letter, "I had been all run down and tired out for some time and go so I could not sleep nights. I had heard so much about Vinol that I tried it and found it highly satisfactory. "It has restored my strength, made me able to sleep and eat well, and I am now quite well again."

This delicious cod liver and iron preparation without oil (Vinol) does wonders in building up weak, nervous, sickly people of all ages. It makes the blood rich and pure, corrects the faulty circulation and restores appetite. We promise to give back the money in case Vinol does not please. Blackmer & Tanquary, Druggists, Washington C. H., Ohio.

BEAUTIFUL GLOSSY HAIR.

Positively follows the use of Mrs. Mason's Old English Shampoo Cream. A tonic cleansing and invigorating head wash famous in New York and London, absolutely safe to use. Blackmer & Tanquary and other druggists, 25c a tube.

C. W. Brown Dead Former Hotel Man

Charles W. Brown, at one time proprietor of the old Midland hotel in this city, passed away in Columbus Sunday, after a long illness.

For many years Mr. Brown and his wife have lived in Columbus, and his death occurred in the Dennison hotel, where they had apartments.

After leaving the hotel business, he traveled for the Ruggles-Gale Co. of Columbus. The remains were taken to Wilmington Wednesday morning over the B. & O. where services were held at the Presbyterian church and interment made at Sugar Grove cemetery. The deceased was 63 years of age.

GARFIELD COMMANDERY

NO. 28, K. T.

Special convocation Thursday evening, January 25th, 1912, Odd Fellows' Temple, 7 p. m., sharp. Work Temple and Malta. By order of

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Wheat, No. 2 90c
New corn, white 57c
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Steaks 15 to 20c per lb
Roasts 10 to 15c per lb
Pork 10 to 20c per lb
Veal 10 to 25c per lb
Lamb 10 to 25c per lb
Cured Ham 17 to 25c per lb
B. Bacon 30c per lb

Provisions.

New home grown potatoes, pk 40c
Butter 30c
Lard 12½c lb
Eggs 34c

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

CHICAGO—Cattle: Receipts, 10,000 head; beefs, \$4 80@4 95; Texas steers, \$4 40@4 55; western steers, \$4 50@4 75; stockers and feeders, \$3 75@4 00; cows and heifers, \$2 25@2 60; calves, \$6 00@9 00. Hogs—Receipts, 28,000 head; light, \$5 55@6 10; mixed, \$5 50@6 25; heavy, \$5 85@6 30; roughs, \$5 85@6 05; pigs, \$1 25@1 50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 18,000 head; native sheep, \$3 25@4 10; western, \$3 00@4 75; yearlings, \$4 90@5 85; native lambs, \$4 50@6 80; western, \$5 00@6 85. Wheat—No. 2 red, 98¢@1 04; Corn—No. 2, 62¢@6 2½c; Oats—No. 2, 49¢@50c.

PITTSBURG, PA.—Cattle: Supply 115 cars; choice cattle, \$7 65@8 00; prime, \$7 25@7 60; tidy butchers, \$6 10@6 60; heifers, \$6 35@6 50; fresh cows and springers, \$25 00@60 00; calves, \$6 00@9 50. Hogs—Receipts, 35 cars; prime heavies, \$6 30@6 35; heavy mixed and mediums, \$6 25@6 30; heavy Yorkers, \$6 20@6 25; light Yorkers, \$5 75@6 00; pigs, \$5 90@5 50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, fair; prime wethers, \$4 25@4 50; good mixed, \$4 00@4 30; fair mixed, \$3 50@3 85; lambs, \$4 00@4 65.

CINCINNATI—Cattle: Receipts, 163 head; steers, \$4 25@7 25; heifers, \$3 00@5 75; cows, \$1 50@4 50; calves, \$4 00@9 00. Hogs—Receipts, 3,123 head; packers, \$6 20@6 25; stags, \$3 00@5 00; common sows, \$4 25@5 85; pigs and lights, \$4 00@5 75. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 240 head; sheep, \$1 50@3 75; lambs, \$4 25@6 75. Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1 00@1 02. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 65¢@67c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 51¢@51½c. Rye—No. 2, 98¢@1 00.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Receipts, 100 head; choice fat steers, \$7 00@7 25; good to choice, \$6 25@6 75; heifers, \$4 50@6 25; fat bulls, \$5 00@5 50; cows, \$4 50@5 00; mixers and springers, \$20 00@55 00; calves, \$5 50@10 00. Hogs—Receipts, 3,000 head; heavies, \$6 20; mediums, \$6 27; Yorkers, \$6 25; pigs, \$5 60; roughs, \$5 40; stags, \$4 50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 600 head; spring lambs, \$6 25@6 50.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 85½c; corn, 65½c; oats, 51½c; cloverseed, \$13 75.

KING PLAIN CITIZEN

Spanish Monarch Acts Like Ordinary Man Occasionally.

When on Vacations at His Summer Residence Alfonso Talks, Walks, Rides and Mingles Generally With the People.

San Sebastian, Spain.—At this beautiful northern coast resort of Spain King Alfonso XIII enjoys life in his boyish, free fashion. Imagine a great round bay so locked in that its waters are a pond. High around its edges circle the villas of the rich, while along the sandy shore the Royal Yacht club and bath houses adjoin private beaches next to the great hotels and the public promenade.

Along the sands the public bath houses and gay tents flash all colors, fairly soaked in sunlight, even in late autumn. The stone promenade, bordered by shade trees and forged iron balustrades, continues round the bay, through gorgeous parks and gardens to the public gambling halls, with the marble terraces and flowers, restaurants and cafes of one of the most luxurious casinos of Europe. Back of all this is the modern built town of wide, shady streets, parks and monuments in bronze and marble, rich shops, cafe terraces and flaunting awnings, street sprinklers, gushing fountains and that mixed perfume of orange peel, violets and tuberose that marks the south of Europe.

Chief of the villas perched high around the bay is the king's Miramar palace, half hidden among its forests. At night any traveler can lose himself in its winding alleys, lighted by 900 electric lamps. Anyone who has been there must have thought how easy it would be for armed conspirators to enter the park and take the palace by surprise. The guard at the gate is composed of three men of the Minarets corps. At the wide door of



King Alfonso.

the palace the only sentry is an old veteran, wearing many decorations, but unarmed. The idea generally held that the king of Spain lives surrounded by an army to protect his life is absurd. The "Alabarderos"—mounted escort—and the large military staff is regularly invisible in its barracks behind the palace and exists merely to satisfy court protocol. When the royal family enjoys its home life in the evenings after audience hours are over, it is no more protected than any other well-to-do family of San Sebastian.

Every day while in residence at San Sebastian, the king, unaccompanied by soldiers, on foot, on horseback, or in auto or carriage, can be seen going about. We met him once in a lone spot of the Corniche, writes a traveler, attempting to clean three plugs that had got choked by soot. My French friends stopped and asked the customary, "Anything we can do?"

"These plugs are choked with soot," replied Alfonso. His chauffeur was respectfully offering new ones, when our French friend—a pure automobile crank like the king—explained that he could clean those plugs by backing rapidly up the slope.

"That is what I said," cried Alfonso. "Oust! tumble in!" and, with a very tricky swing, he got his weight on the crank and started the heavy motor before his chauffeur knew what he was up to, jumped in beside his only companion, a silent military man, and began backing up the slope at second speed.

"Now that is just the type of automobile crank who will not let his chauffeur do a thing," explained the Frenchman. From this time Alfonso nodded to us with a smile, content that here were three men and a lady who had seen him, Alfonso, acting as a man.

Pool Ball in His Mouth.

Philadelphia.—Robert Wilson, a youth living at 1320 North Eighth street, made a bet with several companions that he had the largest mouth in the crowd, and to prove his assertion thrust a pool ball between his jaws.

He won the wager, but lost several teeth, for the ivory ball fitted his mouth so well that it took two hours' work on the part of physicians at the Children's Homeopathic hospital to remove the ball, and that was accomplished only after the forceps had been used.

Wilson walked to the hospital with his friends. The physicians first told him to force the ball out with his tongue. His efforts were unavailing and the pain from his distended jaws so great that it was determined to sacrifice five front teeth.

OLD CHINESE BANK NOTES

Paul Revere was the first American bank-note artist, and from the time of the chartering of the Bank of North America under the direction of Robert Morris in 1781, up to the present, American engravers have excelled not only in the artistic quality of their designs, but in their provisions against counterfeiting. Marco Polo found bank notes in China ages ago, printed on paper made from the bark of the mulberry tree. One of the notes, upon which the great Venetian traveler himself may have gazed, is on exhibition at this day in the office of an American company. It is one of a series issued by the Ming dynasty about 1299 A. D.—"current everywhere under heaven"—and seems to have been printed from wooden blocks on a sheet of paper 9½ inches—a bigger surface than any man could cover with both hands outstretched. It is good for "one string of cash." The provision against forgery is simple to the point of severity—"Counterfeiters hereof will be executed. Persons giving information of counterfeiters will be rewarded with taels 250, and, in addition, will receive the property belonging to the criminal."

THIS FAMILY GREW RAPIDLY

His complaint that a railway station waiting room at Boynton, Okla., was without fire on a bitter cold day led to the discovery that J. M. Jackson and his wife are parents of thirteen children, born in three years. Their fourteenth child, a son, is now fourteen months old. Five years ago the rapid increase in the Jackson family began. Twins then born are now five years old. Triplets succeeded the twins in twelve months, and in another year another set of triplets made their appearance. But the worst, or the best, was yet to come. One year after the last triplets came five children on the same day, making thirteen born in thirty-six months. The last five are still alive, but the health of the whole family, Jackson asserts, was impaired by the absence of warmth in the Boynton station waiting room.

UNWILLINGLY RIDES A DEER

Roy Hansbury, while hunting in Northern Wisconsin, wounded a deer, but it got onto its feet while Hansbury was astride of it and a wild ride began that continued until the hunter was dislodged.

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